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Demographic	WDA	PA
Total Population	429,989	12,986,518
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Male	213,223	6,400,912
Population by Race		
White	72.3%	75.8%
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Other	13.9%	10.0%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	24.0%	8.4%
Population by Age		
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Educational Attainment, Ages 18 and Older		
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Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
February	2025	2024
Unemployment Rate	4.3%	3.8%
Labor Force	217,900	215,700
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State Government	
Saint Joseph Medical Center	

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Online Job Postings	WDA	PA
February 2025	6,562	235,805
February 2024	6,259	205,673
Annual Percent Change	4.8%	14.7%
Annual Volume Change	303	30,132

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Unemployment Compensation (UC) by Pre-UC Industry	Mar 2024 to Feb 2025				Feb 2025 Initial (IC) and Continued (CC) UC Claims							
	Exhaustees		Exh. Percent		IC Total		IC Percent		CC Total		CC Percent	
	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
Natural Resources and Mining	40	650	1.5%	1.0%	20	520	1.5%	1.0%	350	9,190	2.0%	2.0%
Construction	180	7,370	7.0%	10.0%	260	8,690	16.0%	20.5%	2,960	102,730	17.5%	21.0%
Manufacturing	580	8,510	23.0%	11.5%	330	5,250	20.5%	12.5%	3,090	51,160	18.0%	10.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	590	14,140	23.5%	19.5%	330	7,710	20.5%	18.0%	3,300	78,270	19.0%	16.0%
Information	30	1,610	1.0%	2.0%	10	490	0.5%	1.0%	130	6,440	0.5%	1.5%
Financial Activities	130	4,240	5.0%	6.0%	40	1,480	2.5%	3.5%	520	17,690	3.0%	3.5%
Professional and Business Services	450	14,810	18.0%	20.5%	290	6,680	17.5%	15.5%	3,630	91,380	21.0%	19.0%
Education and Health Service	310	11,800	12.5%	16.0%	190	5,400	11.5%	12.5%	1,620	57,580	9.5%	12.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	130	5,670	5.0%	8.0%	80	3,350	5.0%	8.0%	1,000	45,560	6.0%	9.5%
Other Services	50	2,000	2.0%	2.5%	20	890	1.5%	2.0%	310	11,120	2.0%	2.5%
Public Administration	40	1,590	1.5%	2.0%	10	340	0.5%	1.0%	100	6,830	0.5%	1.5%
Unclassified Industry	0	370	0.0%	0.5%	50	1,690	3.0%	4.0%	160	7,720	1.0%	1.5%
Total	2,530	72,760	100%	100%	1,640	42,490	100%	100%	17,160	485,660	100%	100%

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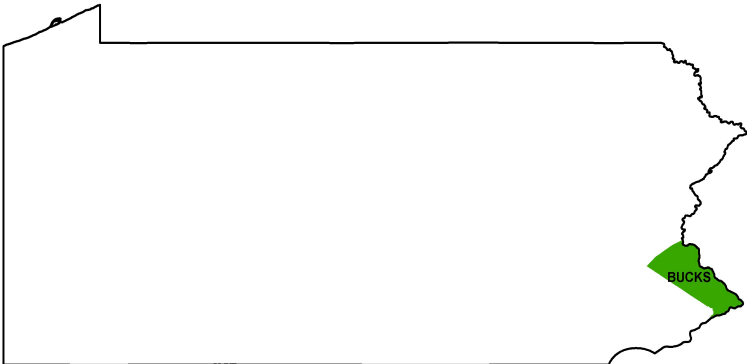
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	Total, All Industries	8,920	1.00	171,176	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$61,399	\$69,252
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	122	3.32	2,596	27,249	1.5%	0.5%	\$43,162	\$44,014
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	9	0.35	223	22,118	0.1%	0.4%	\$87,421	\$101,711
22	Utilities	41	0.70	689	34,054	0.4%	0.6%	\$111,712	\$110,867
23	Construction	874	0.99	7,631	268,718	4.5%	4.5%	\$74,763	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	512	1.94	31,623	566,896	18.5%	9.5%	\$73,908	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	390	0.96	5,984	216,986	3.5%	3.6%	\$74,839	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	1,091	1.08	18,614	601,132	10.9%	10.1%	\$35,094	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	366	0.98	9,704	345,491	5.7%	5.8%	\$55,621	\$59,247
51	Information	107	0.33	918	96,556	0.5%	1.6%	\$57,354	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	427	0.53	4,159	273,127	2.4%	4.6%	\$96,473	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	289	1.00	1,953	67,704	1.1%	1.1%	\$95,618	\$74,573
54	Professional and Technical Services	715	0.54	6,170	398,002	3.6%	6.7%	\$84,728	\$117,065
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	95	1.11	4,716	147,596	2.8%	2.5%	\$130,359	\$153,152
56	Administrative and Waste Services	522	0.99	8,601	303,622	5.0%	5.1%	\$43,135	\$51,067
61	Educational Services	234	0.96	13,342	485,148	7.8%	8.1%	\$59,010	\$67,022
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	1,176	0.93	29,617	1,108,490	17.3%	18.6%	\$66,639	\$63,414
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	154	0.79	2,324	102,276	1.4%	1.7%	\$25,871	\$43,044
72	Accommodation and Food Services	756	0.95	12,556	461,744	7.3%	7.7%	\$21,929	\$24,729
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	902	0.93	5,416	203,144	3.2%	3.4%	\$39,536	\$43,903
92	Public Administration	141	0.65	4,340	232,974	2.5%	3.9%	\$67,569	\$73,804
	Total, Suppressed Industries	0		0		0.0%			

Company Ownership									
	Total, All Ownership	8,920	1.00	171,176	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$61,399	\$69,252
	Private Ownership	8,545	1.00	152,920	5,301,081	89.3%	88.9%	\$61,096	\$69,300
	Federal Ownership	63	0.29	834	101,636	0.5%	1.7%	\$83,271	\$90,018
	State Ownership	30	0.73	2,641	126,229	1.5%	2.1%	\$70,669	\$71,770
	Local Ownership	282	1.19	14,781	434,079	8.6%	7.3%	\$61,640	\$63,079

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11-0000	Management	ND	406,080	\$62,870	\$64,540	\$127,080	\$131,660
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	7,190	362,880	\$45,500	\$47,270	\$78,920	\$82,990
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	3,370	179,640	\$50,810	\$54,840	\$90,280	\$98,060
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	3,810	98,300	\$59,020	\$57,460	\$89,310	\$92,950
19-0000	Life, Physical & Social Science	1,370	65,970	\$44,130	\$48,260	\$70,830	\$82,210
21-0000	Community & Social Services	4,150	137,600	\$37,280	\$36,700	\$55,150	\$55,040
23-0000	Legal	ND	48,970	\$45,330	\$51,470	\$103,940	\$120,620
25-0000	Education, Training & Library	9,200	328,020	\$32,880	\$34,430	\$63,130	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports & Media	1,960	89,620	\$31,020	\$32,120	\$56,770	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	10,880	415,140	\$47,930	\$48,400	\$98,890	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	9,450	340,210	\$26,730	\$26,680	\$36,110	\$35,120
33-0000	Protective Service	2,420	125,910	\$30,470	\$30,510	\$55,810	\$56,120
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	11,260	471,490	\$21,130	\$21,170	\$30,780	\$31,550
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	5,170	202,710	\$27,960	\$27,390	\$37,670	\$37,490
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	4,250	184,610	\$21,840	\$22,380	\$35,450	\$35,260
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43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	22,200	815,400	\$31,760	\$31,640	\$46,040	\$46,810
45-0000	Farming, Fishing & Forestry	2,330	47,090	\$21,290	\$25,510	\$34,940	\$41,590
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	6,590	251,960	\$40,770	\$40,300	\$60,850	\$61,810
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance & Repair	7,840	246,050	\$38,980	\$36,690	\$57,710	\$57,200
51-0000	Production	15,190	373,880	\$34,020	\$32,920	\$47,090	\$48,120
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	18,660	584,940	\$31,220	\$30,290	\$44,500	\$45,770

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Construction	340	7,370	12.0%	10.0%	330	8,690	22.5%	20.5%	3,810	102,730	21.5%	21.0%
Manufacturing	290	8,510	10.5%	11.5%	130	5,250	8.5%	12.5%	1,330	51,160	7.5%	10.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	530	14,140	19.0%	19.5%	280	7,710	19.0%	18.0%	2,860	78,270	16.5%	16.0%
Information	100	1,610	3.5%	2.0%	30	490	2.0%	1.0%	420	6,440	2.5%	1.5%
Financial Activities	190	4,240	7.0%	6.0%	50	1,480	3.0%	3.5%	810	17,690	4.5%	3.5%
Professional and Business Services	720	14,810	26.0%	20.5%	300	6,680	20.0%	15.5%	4,580	91,380	26.0%	19.0%
Education and Health Service	320	11,800	11.5%	16.0%	150	5,400	10.0%	12.5%	1,650	57,580	9.5%	12.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	150	5,670	5.5%	8.0%	90	3,350	6.5%	8.0%	1,160	45,560	6.5%	9.5%
Other Services	90	2,000	3.0%	2.5%	30	890	2.0%	2.0%	450	11,120	2.5%	2.5%
Public Administration	40	1,590	1.5%	2.0%	10	340	0.5%	1.0%	110	6,830	0.5%	1.5%
Unclassified Industry	10	370	0.5%	0.5%	80	1,690	5.0%	4.0%	250	7,720	1.5%	1.5%
Total	2,790	72,760	100%	100%	1,480	42,490	100%	100%	17,520	485,660	100%	100%

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22	Utilities	43	0.62	956	34,054	0.4%	0.6%	\$158,283	\$110,867
23	Construction	2,549	1.41	17,145	268,718	6.4%	4.5%	\$82,132	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	1,027	1.07	27,501	566,896	10.2%	9.5%	\$72,537	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	1,286	1.39	13,569	216,986	5.0%	3.6%	\$91,869	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	2,118	1.27	34,358	601,132	12.8%	10.1%	\$38,942	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	907	0.62	9,674	345,491	3.6%	5.8%	\$59,930	\$59,247
51	Information	310	0.76	3,292	96,556	1.2%	1.6%	\$100,408	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	1,195	0.68	8,365	273,127	3.1%	4.6%	\$113,605	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	752	1.00	3,051	67,704	1.1%	1.1%	\$63,818	\$74,573
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71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	321	1.33	6,142	102,276	2.3%	1.7%	\$33,189	\$43,044
72	Accommodation and Food Services	1,417	1.08	22,439	461,744	8.3%	7.7%	\$24,040	\$24,729
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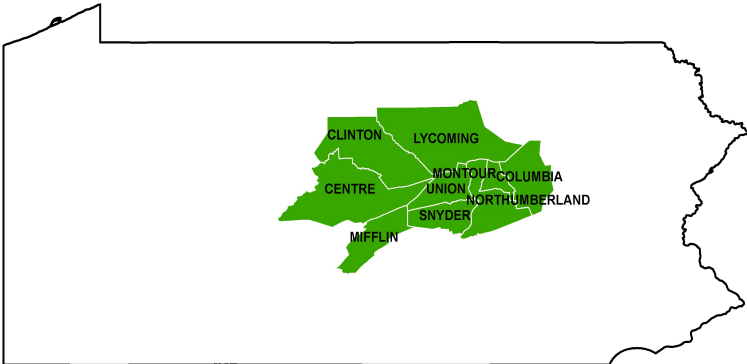
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27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports & Media	3,430	89,620	\$34,500	\$32,120	\$62,790	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	17,070	415,140	\$49,770	\$48,400	\$99,080	\$97,160
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Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q3 of 2024	
Pennsylvania State University	
State Government	
Geisinger Medical Center	
Weis Markets Inc	
Geisinger Clinic	
Wal-Mart Associates Inc	
Geisinger System Services	
Federal Government	
The Williamsport Hospital	
Mount Nittany Medical Center	

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Online Job Postings	WDA	PA
February 2025	9,531	235,805
February 2024	5,984	205,673
Annual Percent Change	59.3%	14.7%
Annual Volume Change	3,547	30,132

Source: The Conference Board - LightCast - Help Wanted OnLine™

Unemployment Compensation (UC) by Pre-UC Industry	Mar 2024 to Feb 2025				Feb 2025 Initial (IC) and Continued (CC) UC Claims							
	Exhaustees		Exh. Percent		IC Total		IC Percent		CC Total		CC Percent	
	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
Natural Resources and Mining	50	650	2.0%	1.0%	50	520	2.5%	1.0%	700	9,190	3.0%	2.0%
Construction	290	7,370	12.5%	10.0%	450	8,690	22.0%	20.5%	6,900	102,730	28.0%	21.0%
Manufacturing	550	8,510	23.5%	11.5%	510	5,250	25.0%	12.5%	4,220	51,160	17.0%	10.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	390	14,140	16.5%	19.5%	320	7,710	16.0%	18.0%	3,300	78,270	13.5%	16.0%
Information	30	1,610	1.5%	2.0%	10	490	0.5%	1.0%	90	6,440	0.5%	1.5%
Financial Activities	90	4,240	4.0%	6.0%	30	1,480	1.5%	3.5%	380	17,690	1.5%	3.5%
Professional and Business Services	320	14,810	13.5%	20.5%	240	6,680	12.0%	15.5%	3,480	91,380	14.0%	19.0%
Education and Health Service	330	11,800	14.0%	16.0%	220	5,400	11.0%	12.5%	1,990	57,580	8.0%	12.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	150	5,670	6.5%	8.0%	110	3,350	5.5%	8.0%	2,390	45,560	9.5%	9.5%
Other Services	50	2,000	2.0%	2.5%	30	890	1.5%	2.0%	410	11,120	1.5%	2.5%
Public Administration	80	1,590	3.5%	2.0%	20	340	1.0%	1.0%	650	6,830	2.5%	1.5%
Unclassified Industry	0	370	0.0%	0.5%	40	1,690	2.0%	4.0%	150	7,720	0.5%	1.5%
Total	2,330	72,760	100%	100%	2,020	42,490	100%	100%	24,660	485,660	100%	100%

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Source: Pennsylvania Unemployment Compensation System

Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2023 Annual Averages

NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.	LQ	Employment		Employment %		Wages	
		WDA		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
	Total, All Industries	14,577	1.00	247,610	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$55,886	\$69,252
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	216	ND	ND	27,249	ND	0.5%	ND	\$44,014
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	63	1.65	1,514	22,118	0.6%	0.4%	\$100,819	\$101,711
22	Utilities	108	1.24	1,747	34,054	0.7%	0.6%	\$88,692	\$110,867
23	Construction	1,249	0.94	10,435	268,718	4.2%	4.5%	\$63,067	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	787	1.41	33,281	566,896	13.4%	9.5%	\$62,735	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	493	0.59	5,334	216,986	2.2%	3.6%	\$59,636	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	1,959	1.16	28,969	601,132	11.7%	10.1%	\$32,066	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	628	0.77	10,993	345,491	4.4%	5.8%	\$54,271	\$59,247
51	Information	164	ND	ND	96,556	ND	1.6%	ND	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	738	0.53	6,013	273,127	2.4%	4.6%	\$74,084	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	456	0.87	2,437	67,704	1.0%	1.1%	\$48,999	\$74,573
54	Professional and Technical Services	1,002	0.46	7,544	398,002	3.0%	6.7%	\$74,763	\$117,065
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	131	0.73	4,479	147,596	1.8%	2.5%	\$91,444	\$153,152
56	Administrative and Waste Services	611	0.55	6,896	303,622	2.8%	5.1%	\$40,930	\$51,067
61	Educational Services	398	1.70	34,291	485,148	13.8%	8.1%	\$67,464	\$67,022
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	2,249	1.01	46,692	1,108,490	18.9%	18.6%	\$66,941	\$63,414
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	210	ND	ND	102,276	ND	1.7%	ND	\$43,044
72	Accommodation and Food Services	1,316	1.10	21,042	461,744	8.5%	7.7%	\$20,636	\$24,729
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	1,296	0.89	7,529	203,144	3.0%	3.4%	\$33,741	\$43,903
92	Public Administration	506	1.15	11,161	232,974	4.5%	3.9%	\$62,488	\$73,804
	Total, Suppressed Industries	590		7,256		2.9%			

Company Ownership

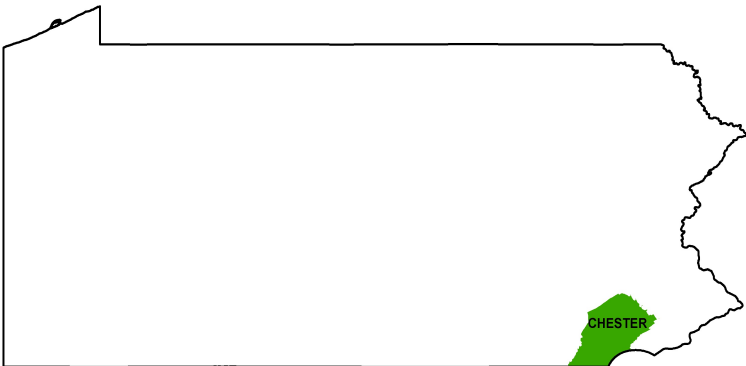
Total, All Ownership	14,577	1.00	247,610	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$55,886	\$69,252
Private Ownership	13,485	0.91	199,950	5,301,081	80.8%	88.9%	\$53,579	\$69,300
Federal Ownership	185	0.67	2,832	101,636	1.1%	1.7%	\$80,309	\$90,018
State Ownership	166	4.93	25,862	126,229	10.4%	2.1%	\$74,619	\$71,770
Local Ownership	742	1.05	18,965	434,079	7.7%	7.3%	\$51,026	\$63,079

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Occupational Employment (2022) and Wages (2023)

SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Estimated Employment		Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage	
		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	259,010	6,311,420	\$28,280	\$29,860	\$55,030	\$61,920
11-0000	Management	12,800	406,080	\$58,900	\$64,540	\$114,140	\$131,660
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	9,420	362,880	\$43,670	\$47,270	\$72,450	\$82,990
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	5,120	179,640	\$50,870	\$54,840	\$86,200	\$98,060
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	4,570	98,300	\$52,530	\$57,460	\$82,560	\$92,950
19-0000	Life, Physical, & Social Science	1,820	65,970	\$44,250	\$48,260	\$72,430	\$82,210
21-0000	Community & Social Service	6,070	137,600	\$36,130	\$36,700	\$52,750	\$55,040
23-0000	Legal	1,020	48,970	\$46,370	\$51,470	\$102,460	\$120,620
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	17,570	328,020	\$36,840	\$34,430	\$70,340	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	3,210	89,620	\$29,460	\$32,120	\$53,870	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	19,770	415,140	\$45,830	\$48,400	\$90,600	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	13,710	340,210	\$25,950	\$26,680	\$34,780	\$35,120
33-0000	Protective Service	4,720	125,910	\$31,550	\$30,510	\$57,000	\$56,120
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	19,890	471,490	\$20,280	\$21,170	\$29,720	\$31,550
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	8,050	202,710	\$26,160	\$27,390	\$34,950	\$37,490
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	5,990	184,610	\$21,270	\$22,380	\$33,220	\$35,260
41-0000	Sales & Related	22,590	534,980	\$22,970	\$24,850	\$40,260	\$50,440
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	32,690	815,400	\$29,450	\$31,640	\$42,790	\$46,810
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	4,220	47,090	\$27,960	\$25,510	\$44,560	\$41,590
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	12,060	251,960	\$36,820	\$40,300	\$54,150	\$61,810
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	11,200	246,050	\$35,280	\$36,690	\$53,350	\$57,200
51-0000	Production	20,450	373,880	\$32,160	\$32,920	\$44,890	\$48,120
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	22,060	584,940	\$28,390	\$30,290	\$42,310	\$45,770

Note: 'ND' represents Non-Disclosable information.



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2023 Population		
Demographic	WDA	PA
Total Population	540,896	12,986,518
Female	272,689	6,585,606
Male	268,207	6,400,912
Population by Race		
White	78.4%	75.8%
Black	5.3%	10.7%
Other	13.5%	10.0%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	8.2%	8.4%
Population by Age		
Ages 0 to 17	22.3%	20.6%
Ages 18 to 24	9.0%	8.9%
Ages 25 to 34	11.4%	13.0%
Ages 35 to 44	12.9%	12.3%
Ages 45 to 54	13.1%	12.2%
Ages 55 to 64	13.9%	13.9%
Ages 65 to 74	10.3%	11.2%
Ages 75 and Older	7.0%	7.9%
Educational Attainment, Ages 18 and Older		
High School Diploma or Less	26.7%	42.0%
Some College or Associate Degree	20.9%	25.8%
Bachelor's Degree	31.2%	19.7%
Graduate or Professional Degree	21.1%	12.5%

Source: U.S. Census-2023 ACS 5-Year Estimates - DP05, B01001, and B15001

Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
February	2025	2024
Unemployment Rate	3.0%	2.7%
Labor Force	297,400	296,100
Employed	288,400	288,100
Unemployed	9,000	8,000

Notes: Current month's data are preliminary. Data are not seasonally adjusted.

Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q3 of 2024	
The Vanguard Group Inc	
The Chester County Hospital	
County of Chester	
Main Line Hospitals Inc	
Federal Government	
Giant Food Stores LLC	
Downingtown Area School District	
PA State System of Higher Education	
QVC Network Inc	
Chester County Intermediate	

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Online Job Postings	WDA	PA
February 2025	10,248	235,805
February 2024	9,675	205,673
Annual Percent Change	5.9%	14.7%
Annual Volume Change	573	30,132

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Unemployment Compensation (UC) by Pre-UC Industry	Mar 2024 to Feb 2025				Feb 2025 Initial (IC) and Continued (CC) UC Claims							
	Exhaustees		Exh. Percent		IC Total		IC Percent		CC Total		CC Percent	
	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
Natural Resources and Mining	20	650	1.0%	1.0%	10	520	0.5%	1.0%	140	9,190	1.0%	2.0%
Construction	140	7,370	7.0%	10.0%	180	8,690	17.0%	20.5%	1,900	102,730	15.5%	21.0%
Manufacturing	150	8,510	7.5%	11.5%	90	5,250	8.0%	12.5%	870	51,160	7.0%	10.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	400	14,140	20.5%	19.5%	160	7,710	14.5%	18.0%	1,710	78,270	14.0%	16.0%
Information	70	1,610	3.5%	2.0%	30	490	3.0%	1.0%	350	6,440	3.0%	1.5%
Financial Activities	170	4,240	9.0%	6.0%	60	1,480	5.0%	3.5%	660	17,690	5.5%	3.5%
Professional and Business Services	590	14,810	30.5%	20.5%	290	6,680	26.0%	15.5%	3,740	91,380	31.0%	19.0%
Education and Health Service	220	11,800	11.5%	16.0%	140	5,400	13.0%	12.5%	1,250	57,580	10.5%	12.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	90	5,670	4.5%	8.0%	70	3,350	6.5%	8.0%	950	45,560	8.0%	9.5%
Other Services	50	2,000	2.5%	2.5%	30	890	2.5%	2.0%	320	11,120	2.5%	2.5%
Public Administration	30	1,590	1.5%	2.0%	0	340	0.0%	1.0%	90	6,830	0.5%	1.5%
Unclassified Industry	10	370	0.5%	0.5%	40	1,690	3.5%	4.0%	160	7,720	1.5%	1.5%
Total	1,940	72,760	100%	100%	1,090	42,490	100%	100%	12,120	485,660	100%	100%

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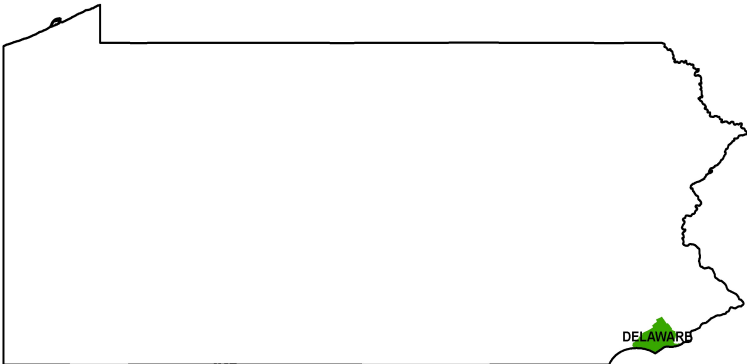
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	Total, All Industries	16,398	1.00	251,018	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$85,308	\$69,252
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	261	3.97	4,554	27,249	1.8%	0.5%	\$50,101	\$44,014
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22	Utilities	32	0.46	665	34,054	0.3%	0.6%	\$152,488	\$110,867
23	Construction	1,484	1.13	12,766	268,718	5.1%	4.5%	\$85,055	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	648	0.74	17,709	566,896	7.1%	9.5%	\$83,982	\$74,597
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52	Finance and Insurance	1,047	2.04	23,472	273,127	9.4%	4.6%	\$154,815	\$118,105
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54	Professional and Technical Services	2,697	1.58	26,424	398,002	10.5%	6.7%	\$131,800	\$117,065
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Construction	320	7,370	9.5%	10.0%	290	8,690	19.0%	20.5%	2,600	102,730	16.0%	21.0%
Manufacturing	210	8,510	6.0%	11.5%	70	5,250	5.0%	12.5%	770	51,160	4.5%	10.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	580	14,140	17.0%	19.5%	220	7,710	15.0%	18.0%	2,210	78,270	13.5%	16.0%
Information	80	1,610	2.5%	2.0%	50	490	3.0%	1.0%	380	6,440	2.5%	1.5%
Financial Activities	220	4,240	6.5%	6.0%	80	1,480	5.5%	3.5%	1,040	17,690	6.5%	3.5%
Professional and Business Services	730	14,810	21.5%	20.5%	290	6,680	19.5%	15.5%	3,710	91,380	22.5%	19.0%
Education and Health Service	730	11,800	21.5%	16.0%	260	5,400	17.0%	12.5%	3,170	57,580	19.5%	12.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	280	5,670	8.5%	8.0%	130	3,350	8.5%	8.0%	1,470	45,560	9.0%	9.5%
Other Services	100	2,000	3.0%	2.5%	40	890	2.5%	2.0%	500	11,120	3.0%	2.5%
Public Administration	110	1,590	3.5%	2.0%	20	340	1.0%	1.0%	200	6,830	1.0%	1.5%
Unclassified Industry	10	370	0.5%	0.5%	60	1,690	3.5%	4.0%	280	7,720	1.5%	1.5%
Total	3,370	72,760	100%	100%	1,490	42,490	100%	100%	16,370	485,660	100%	100%

Notes: Percentages less than 0.5% will be displayed as 0.0%. Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding. Claims data are not comparable to claims data released in any other report.

Source: Pennsylvania Unemployment Compensation System

Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2023 Annual Averages

NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.	LQ	Employment		Employment %		Wages	
		WDA		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
	Total, All Industries	14,366	1.00	218,945	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$71,224	\$69,252
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	13	0.08	78	27,249	0.0%	0.5%	\$38,065	\$44,014
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	6	0.07	54	22,118	0.0%	0.4%	\$104,287	\$101,711
22	Utilities	33	0.68	850	34,054	0.4%	0.6%	\$137,706	\$110,867
23	Construction	1,408	1.24	12,261	268,718	5.6%	4.5%	\$86,544	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	358	0.63	13,190	566,896	6.0%	9.5%	\$105,872	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	601	0.77	6,169	216,986	2.8%	3.6%	\$98,442	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	1,520	1.08	23,744	601,132	10.8%	10.1%	\$36,736	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	388	0.89	11,329	345,491	5.2%	5.8%	\$59,132	\$59,247
51	Information	216	0.64	2,282	96,556	1.0%	1.6%	\$124,727	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	905	0.87	8,687	273,127	4.0%	4.6%	\$156,117	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	531	1.22	3,022	67,704	1.4%	1.1%	\$97,446	\$74,573
54	Professional and Technical Services	1,735	0.66	9,591	398,002	4.4%	6.7%	\$114,527	\$117,065
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	185	1.39	7,524	147,596	3.4%	2.5%	\$196,991	\$153,152
56	Administrative and Waste Services	821	1.00	11,186	303,622	5.1%	5.1%	\$55,680	\$51,067
61	Educational Services	396	1.36	24,265	485,148	11.1%	8.1%	\$64,984	\$67,022
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	2,248	1.15	46,715	1,108,490	21.3%	18.6%	\$56,639	\$63,414
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	231	1.10	4,116	102,276	1.9%	1.7%	\$38,843	\$43,044
72	Accommodation and Food Services	1,139	1.06	17,970	461,744	8.2%	7.7%	\$24,827	\$24,729
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	1,514	1.22	9,078	203,144	4.1%	3.4%	\$43,708	\$43,903
92	Public Administration	120	0.80	6,834	232,974	3.1%	3.9%	\$72,759	\$73,804
	Total, Suppressed Industries	0		0		0.0%			

Company Ownership

Total, All Ownership	14,366	1.00	218,945	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$71,224	\$69,252
Private Ownership	14,040	1.01	195,785	5,301,081	89.4%	88.9%	\$71,454	\$69,300
Federal Ownership	60	0.50	1,862	101,636	0.9%	1.7%	\$101,979	\$90,018
State Ownership	28	0.45	2,101	126,229	1.0%	2.1%	\$74,894	\$71,770
Local Ownership	237	1.20	19,196	434,079	8.8%	7.3%	\$65,495	\$63,079

Notes: 'Estab.'-Establishments. 'LQ'-(Location Quotient) is the percent of WDA employment by sector divided by the percent of PA's employment by sector.

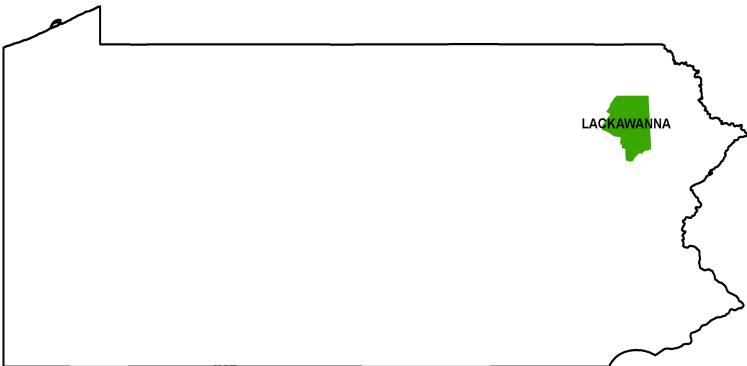
Occupational Employment (2022) and Wages (2023)

SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Estimated Employment		Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage	
		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	224,030	6,311,420	\$30,400	\$29,860	\$64,050	\$61,920
11-0000	Management	11,470	406,080	\$66,790	\$64,540	\$137,930	\$131,660
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	12,390	362,880	\$50,210	\$47,270	\$88,080	\$82,990
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	6,220	179,640	\$57,760	\$54,840	\$103,930	\$98,060
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	3,500	98,300	\$66,330	\$57,460	\$105,790	\$92,950
19-0000	Life, Physical, & Social Science	ND	65,970	\$52,710	\$48,260	\$85,080	\$82,210
21-0000	Community & Social Service	5,560	137,600	\$38,120	\$36,700	\$58,350	\$55,040
23-0000	Legal	1,850	48,970	\$55,880	\$51,470	\$144,690	\$120,620
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	17,350	328,020	\$35,700	\$34,430	\$70,210	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	2,380	89,620	\$34,150	\$32,120	\$62,820	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	14,590	415,140	\$49,680	\$48,400	\$101,170	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	16,940	340,210	\$27,260	\$26,680	\$35,080	\$35,120
33-0000	Protective Service	4,900	125,910	\$31,380	\$30,510	\$61,600	\$56,120
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	15,870	471,490	\$23,020	\$21,170	\$33,590	\$31,550
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	9,010	202,710	\$30,370	\$27,390	\$40,460	\$37,490
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	8,640	184,610	\$23,480	\$22,380	\$36,820	\$35,260
41-0000	Sales & Related	20,480	534,980	\$25,850	\$24,850	\$49,860	\$50,440
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	30,580	815,400	\$33,150	\$31,640	\$49,680	\$46,810
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	ND	47,090	ND	\$25,510	ND	\$41,590
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	9,420	251,960	\$42,690	\$40,300	\$67,150	\$61,810
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	7,210	246,050	\$38,650	\$36,690	\$63,080	\$57,200
51-0000	Production	8,100	373,880	\$34,540	\$32,920	\$58,440	\$48,120
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	16,070	584,940	\$30,800	\$30,290	\$46,430	\$45,770

Note: 'ND' represents Non-Disclosable information.

Lackawanna County WDA Profile

April 2025



Due to BLS methodological changes and conversions to the 2020 Census-based area delineations, seasonally adjusted substate area LAUS data are not available until further notice.

2023 Population		
Demographic	WDA	PA
Total Population	215,834	12,986,518
Female	109,843	6,585,606
Male	105,991	6,400,912
Population by Race		
White	83.4%	75.8%
Black	3.1%	10.7%
Other	10.4%	10.0%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	9.2%	8.4%
Population by Age		
Ages 0 to 17	20.5%	20.6%
Ages 18 to 24	8.9%	8.9%
Ages 25 to 34	12.2%	13.0%
Ages 35 to 44	12.0%	12.3%
Ages 45 to 54	12.2%	12.2%
Ages 55 to 64	14.0%	13.9%
Ages 65 to 74	11.7%	11.2%
Ages 75 and Older	8.6%	7.9%
Educational Attainment, Ages 18 and Older		
High School Diploma or Less	43.5%	42.0%
Some College or Associate Degree	28.5%	25.8%
Bachelor's Degree	17.4%	19.7%
Graduate or Professional Degree	10.6%	12.5%

Source: U.S. Census-2023 ACS 5-Year Estimates - DP05, B01001, and B15001

Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
February	2025	2024
Unemployment Rate	4.6%	4.0%
Labor Force	105,100	107,800
Employed	100,200	103,500
Unemployed	4,900	4,300

Notes: Current month's data are preliminary. Data are not seasonally adjusted.

Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q3 of 2024	
State Government	
Community Medical Center	
Allied Services Foundation	
Amazon.com Services LLC	
Scranton School District	
Chewy Inc	
Lackawanna County	
Scranton Hospital Company LLC	
Wal-Mart Associates Inc	
Federal Government	

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Online Job Postings	WDA	PA
February 2025	2,584	235,805
February 2024	1,912	205,673
Annual Percent Change	35.1%	14.7%
Annual Volume Change	672	30,132

Source: The Conference Board - LightCast - Help Wanted OnLine™

Unemployment Compensation (UC) by Pre-UC Industry	Mar 2024 to Feb 2025				Feb 2025 Initial (IC) and Continued (CC) UC Claims							
	Exhaustees		Exh. Percent		IC Total		IC Percent		CC Total		CC Percent	
	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
Natural Resources and Mining	10	650	1.0%	1.0%	10	520	2.0%	1.0%	240	9,190	2.5%	2.0%
Construction	150	7,370	11.5%	10.0%	170	8,690	23.5%	20.5%	2,160	102,730	23.5%	21.0%
Manufacturing	160	8,510	12.0%	11.5%	90	5,250	12.0%	12.5%	1,010	51,160	11.0%	10.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	320	14,140	24.0%	19.5%	160	7,710	22.0%	18.0%	1,730	78,270	19.0%	16.0%
Information	40	1,610	3.0%	2.0%	10	490	0.5%	1.0%	80	6,440	1.0%	1.5%
Financial Activities	60	4,240	4.5%	6.0%	20	1,480	3.5%	3.5%	360	17,690	4.0%	3.5%
Professional and Business Services	240	14,810	18.0%	20.5%	100	6,680	13.5%	15.5%	1,390	91,380	15.0%	19.0%
Education and Health Service	190	11,800	14.5%	16.0%	80	5,400	10.5%	12.5%	930	57,580	10.0%	12.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	100	5,670	7.5%	8.0%	50	3,350	7.0%	8.0%	890	45,560	9.5%	9.5%
Other Services	20	2,000	1.5%	2.5%	20	890	2.0%	2.0%	150	11,120	1.5%	2.5%
Public Administration	20	1,590	1.5%	2.0%	0	340	0.5%	1.0%	150	6,830	1.5%	1.5%
Unclassified Industry	10	370	1.0%	0.5%	20	1,690	2.5%	4.0%	120	7,720	1.5%	1.5%
Total	1,320	72,760	100%	100%	720	42,490	100%	100%	9,190	485,660	100%	100%

Notes: Percentages less than 0.5% will be displayed as 0.0%. Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding. Claims data are not comparable to claims data released in any other report.

Source: Pennsylvania Unemployment Compensation System

Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2023 Annual Averages									
NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.	LQ	Employment		Employment %		Wages	
		WDA		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
	Total, All Industries	5,534	1.00	96,884	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$51,822	\$69,252
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	23	1.02	450	27,249	0.5%	0.5%	\$34,622	\$44,014
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	3	ND	ND	22,118	ND	0.4%	ND	\$101,711
22	Utilities	22	ND	ND	34,054	ND	0.6%	ND	\$110,867
23	Construction	461	0.87	3,787	268,718	3.9%	4.5%	\$71,579	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	215	1.11	10,251	566,896	10.6%	9.5%	\$61,509	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	247	1.06	3,748	216,986	3.9%	3.6%	\$67,897	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	799	1.17	11,443	601,132	11.8%	10.1%	\$33,395	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	203	1.31	7,366	345,491	7.6%	5.8%	\$49,916	\$59,247
51	Information	51	0.64	1,007	96,556	1.0%	1.6%	\$61,073	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	285	0.82	3,624	273,127	3.7%	4.6%	\$83,524	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	174	0.77	845	67,704	0.9%	1.1%	\$50,133	\$74,573
54	Professional and Technical Services	480	0.49	3,169	398,002	3.3%	6.7%	\$70,837	\$117,065
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	49	0.56	1,332	147,596	1.4%	2.5%	\$75,494	\$153,152
56	Administrative and Waste Services	253	0.97	4,787	303,622	4.9%	5.1%	\$43,707	\$51,067
61	Educational Services	124	1.03	8,132	485,148	8.4%	8.1%	\$55,811	\$67,022
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	922	1.15	20,635	1,108,490	21.3%	18.6%	\$55,311	\$63,414
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	79	0.88	1,460	102,276	1.5%	1.7%	\$25,889	\$43,044
72	Accommodation and Food Services	562	1.07	8,045	461,744	8.3%	7.7%	\$21,327	\$24,729
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	489	0.93	3,057	203,144	3.2%	3.4%	\$34,837	\$43,903
92	Public Administration	97	0.88	3,339	232,974	3.4%	3.9%	\$62,329	\$73,804
	Total, Suppressed Industries	25		411		0.4%			

Company Ownership

Total, All Ownership	5,534	1.00	96,884	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$51,822	\$69,252
Private Ownership	5,311	1.01	86,692	5,301,081	89.5%	88.9%	\$50,679	\$69,300
Federal Ownership	45	0.56	918	101,636	0.9%	1.7%	\$80,764	\$90,018
State Ownership	35	1.14	2,346	126,229	2.4%	2.1%	\$64,559	\$71,770
Local Ownership	144	0.98	6,928	434,079	7.2%	7.3%	\$57,971	\$63,079

Notes: 'Estab.'-Establishments. 'LQ'-(Location Quotient) is the percent of WDA employment by sector divided by the percent of PA's employment by sector.

Occupational Employment (2022) and Wages (2023)

SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Estimated Employment		Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage	
		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	95,170	6,311,420	\$28,250	\$29,860	\$53,610	\$61,920
11-0000	Management	3,850	406,080	\$57,760	\$64,540	\$113,140	\$131,660
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	3,470	362,880	\$42,750	\$47,270	\$72,180	\$82,990
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	1,590	179,640	\$48,920	\$54,840	\$84,080	\$98,060
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	1,080	98,300	\$55,020	\$57,460	\$83,360	\$92,950
19-0000	Life, Physical, & Social Science	540	65,970	\$43,420	\$48,260	\$72,480	\$82,210
21-0000	Community & Social Service	2,230	137,600	\$34,810	\$36,700	\$50,960	\$55,040
23-0000	Legal	680	48,970	\$45,500	\$51,470	\$103,640	\$120,620
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	5,240	328,020	\$34,260	\$34,430	\$65,370	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	1,300	89,620	\$29,530	\$32,120	\$52,440	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	6,860	415,140	\$43,550	\$48,400	\$86,200	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	6,590	340,210	\$25,510	\$26,680	\$33,670	\$35,120
33-0000	Protective Service	1,840	125,910	\$29,040	\$30,510	\$54,060	\$56,120
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	6,750	471,490	\$20,630	\$21,170	\$30,090	\$31,550
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	3,420	202,710	\$26,040	\$27,390	\$34,880	\$37,490
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	2,840	184,610	\$21,320	\$22,380	\$33,460	\$35,260
41-0000	Sales & Related	9,410	534,980	\$23,480	\$24,850	\$42,890	\$50,440
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	13,860	815,400	\$30,620	\$31,640	\$43,970	\$46,810
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	160	47,090	\$25,690	\$25,510	\$38,080	\$41,590
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	3,770	251,960	\$39,160	\$40,300	\$58,490	\$61,810
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	3,350	246,050	\$34,510	\$36,690	\$53,330	\$57,200
51-0000	Production	6,950	373,880	\$31,360	\$32,920	\$44,860	\$48,120
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	9,420	584,940	\$29,450	\$30,290	\$43,460	\$45,770

Note: 'ND' represents Non-Disclosable information.



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2023 Population		
Demographic	WDA	PA
Total Population	555,151	12,986,518
Female	282,139	6,585,606
Male	273,012	6,400,912
Population by Race		
White	82.9%	75.8%
Black	4.0%	10.7%
Other	9.1%	10.0%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	11.3%	8.4%
Population by Age		
Ages 0 to 17	23.3%	20.6%
Ages 18 to 24	8.7%	8.9%
Ages 25 to 34	12.9%	13.0%
Ages 35 to 44	11.8%	12.3%
Ages 45 to 54	11.2%	12.2%
Ages 55 to 64	12.9%	13.9%
Ages 65 to 74	10.6%	11.2%
Ages 75 and Older	8.6%	7.9%
Educational Attainment, Ages 18 and Older		
High School Diploma or Less	48.4%	42.0%
Some College or Associate Degree	22.8%	25.8%
Bachelor's Degree	18.7%	19.7%
Graduate or Professional Degree	10.1%	12.5%

Source: U.S. Census-2023 ACS 5-Year Estimates - DP05, B01001, and B15001

Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
February	2025	2024
Unemployment Rate	3.3%	2.8%
Labor Force	286,500	289,000
Employed	277,100	280,900
Unemployed	9,500	8,100

Notes: Current month's data are preliminary. Data are not seasonally adjusted.

Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q3 of 2024	
Lancaster General Hospital	
Mutual Assistance Group	
Giant Food Stores LLC	
County of Lancaster	
Eurofins Lancaster Laboratories Inc	
Lancaster School District	
Dart Container Corporation	
Lancaster General Medical Group	
Masonic Villages of the Grand Lodge	
Willow Valley Communities	

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Online Job Postings	WDA	PA
February 2025	7,017	235,805
February 2024	5,425	205,673
Annual Percent Change	29.3%	14.7%
Annual Volume Change	1,592	30,132

Source: The Conference Board - LightCast - Help Wanted OnLine™

Unemployment Compensation (UC) by Pre-UC Industry	Mar 2024 to Feb 2025				Feb 2025 Initial (IC) and Continued (CC) UC Claims							
	Exhaustees		Exh. Percent		IC Total		IC Percent		CC Total		CC Percent	
	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
Natural Resources and Mining	10	650	0.5%	1.0%	10	520	1.0%	1.0%	230	9,190	1.5%	2.0%
Construction	140	7,370	7.0%	10.0%	250	8,690	17.0%	20.5%	2,690	102,730	17.5%	21.0%
Manufacturing	410	8,510	21.0%	11.5%	260	5,250	17.0%	12.5%	2,730	51,160	18.0%	10.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	470	14,140	24.0%	19.5%	270	7,710	18.5%	18.0%	2,670	78,270	17.5%	16.0%
Information	50	1,610	2.5%	2.0%	10	490	1.0%	1.0%	240	6,440	1.5%	1.5%
Financial Activities	80	4,240	4.0%	6.0%	50	1,480	3.5%	3.5%	510	17,690	3.5%	3.5%
Professional and Business Services	340	14,810	17.5%	20.5%	220	6,680	15.0%	15.5%	2,660	91,380	17.5%	19.0%
Education and Health Service	240	11,800	12.0%	16.0%	190	5,400	12.5%	12.5%	1,400	57,580	9.0%	12.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	150	5,670	7.5%	8.0%	140	3,350	9.5%	8.0%	1,680	45,560	11.0%	9.5%
Other Services	40	2,000	2.0%	2.5%	30	890	2.5%	2.0%	310	11,120	2.0%	2.5%
Public Administration	30	1,590	1.5%	2.0%	10	340	1.0%	1.0%	130	6,830	1.0%	1.5%
Unclassified Industry	0	370	0.0%	0.5%	40	1,690	2.5%	4.0%	110	7,720	0.5%	1.5%
Total	1,960	72,760	100%	100%	1,480	42,490	100%	100%	15,340	485,660	100%	100%

Notes: Percentages less than 0.5% will be displayed as 0.0%. Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding. Claims data are not comparable to claims data released in any other report.

Source: Pennsylvania Unemployment Compensation System

Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2023 Annual Averages

NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.	LQ	Employment		Employment %		Wages	
		WDA		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
	Total, All Industries	14,479	1.00	249,570	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$57,947	\$69,252
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	274	2.85	3,250	27,249	1.3%	0.5%	\$43,394	\$44,014
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	18	0.49	456	22,118	0.2%	0.4%	\$78,833	\$101,711
22	Utilities	35	0.82	1,163	34,054	0.5%	0.6%	\$99,445	\$110,867
23	Construction	1,901	1.64	18,466	268,718	7.4%	4.5%	\$73,868	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	1,093	1.59	37,610	566,896	15.1%	9.5%	\$68,234	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	664	1.38	12,567	216,986	5.0%	3.6%	\$67,533	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	1,821	1.18	29,615	601,132	11.9%	10.1%	\$35,916	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	625	1.09	15,689	345,491	6.3%	5.8%	\$56,578	\$59,247
51	Information	149	0.55	2,223	96,556	0.9%	1.6%	\$67,906	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	802	0.58	6,604	273,127	2.6%	4.6%	\$98,934	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	470	0.88	2,497	67,704	1.0%	1.1%	\$58,394	\$74,573
54	Professional and Technical Services	1,178	0.66	10,983	398,002	4.4%	6.7%	\$79,581	\$117,065
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	150	0.65	4,036	147,596	1.6%	2.5%	\$115,002	\$153,152
56	Administrative and Waste Services	686	0.66	8,449	303,622	3.4%	5.1%	\$43,850	\$51,067
61	Educational Services	283	0.77	15,542	485,148	6.2%	8.1%	\$59,985	\$67,022
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	1,533	0.92	42,700	1,108,490	17.1%	18.6%	\$61,484	\$63,414
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	236	1.13	4,852	102,276	1.9%	1.7%	\$24,970	\$43,044
72	Accommodation and Food Services	1,081	1.05	20,316	461,744	8.1%	7.7%	\$23,441	\$24,729
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	1,378	0.96	8,165	203,144	3.3%	3.4%	\$43,285	\$43,903
92	Public Administration	108	0.45	4,388	232,974	1.8%	3.9%	\$61,907	\$73,804
	Total, Suppressed Industries	0		0		0.0%			

Company Ownership

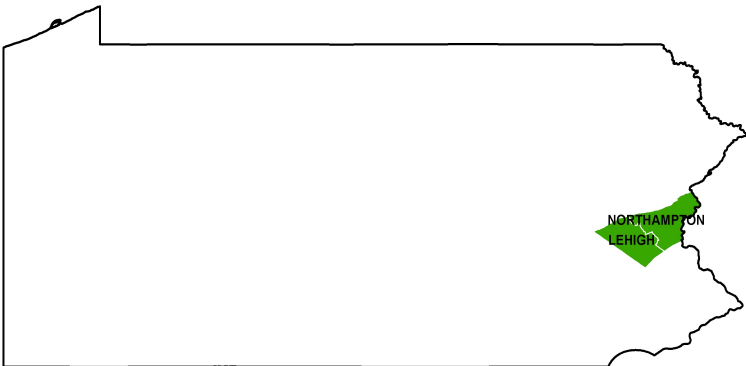
Total, All Ownership	14,479	1.00	249,570	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$57,947	\$69,252
Private Ownership	14,126	1.04	231,079	5,301,081	92.6%	88.9%	\$57,515	\$69,300
Federal Ownership	73	0.30	1,268	101,636	0.5%	1.7%	\$71,833	\$90,018
State Ownership	32	0.39	2,050	126,229	0.8%	2.1%	\$70,555	\$71,770
Local Ownership	249	0.84	15,174	434,079	6.1%	7.3%	\$61,666	\$63,079

Notes: 'Estab.'-Establishments. 'LQ'-(Location Quotient) is the percent of WDA employment by sector divided by the percent of PA's employment by sector.

Occupational Employment (2022) and Wages (2023)

SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Estimated Employment		Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage	
		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	259,230	6,311,420	\$29,430	\$29,860	\$55,560	\$61,920
11-0000	Management	13,770	406,080	\$60,100	\$64,540	\$117,660	\$131,660
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	9,500	362,880	\$44,850	\$47,270	\$75,530	\$82,990
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	3,560	179,640	\$50,160	\$54,840	\$85,220	\$98,060
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	4,620	98,300	\$51,360	\$57,460	\$82,170	\$92,950
19-0000	Life, Physical, & Social Science	1,530	65,970	\$40,790	\$48,260	\$66,910	\$82,210
21-0000	Community & Social Service	4,890	137,600	\$36,240	\$36,700	\$53,040	\$55,040
23-0000	Legal	1,100	48,970	\$49,170	\$51,470	\$100,260	\$120,620
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	11,670	328,020	\$32,660	\$34,430	\$64,120	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	3,900	89,620	\$32,650	\$32,120	\$54,400	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	15,140	415,140	\$47,620	\$48,400	\$94,420	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	11,670	340,210	\$27,880	\$26,680	\$36,810	\$35,120
33-0000	Protective Service	2,560	125,910	\$28,440	\$30,510	\$54,020	\$56,120
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	18,130	471,490	\$21,370	\$21,170	\$30,950	\$31,550
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	7,820	202,710	\$27,290	\$27,390	\$35,860	\$37,490
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	7,000	184,610	\$22,770	\$22,380	\$35,350	\$35,260
41-0000	Sales & Related	23,150	534,980	\$24,380	\$24,850	\$46,490	\$50,440
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	31,940	815,400	\$30,870	\$31,640	\$45,040	\$46,810
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	5,390	47,090	\$27,880	\$25,510	\$40,730	\$41,590
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	15,190	251,960	\$40,500	\$40,300	\$58,160	\$61,810
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	11,620	246,050	\$36,720	\$36,690	\$55,490	\$57,200
51-0000	Production	23,030	373,880	\$33,560	\$32,920	\$47,450	\$48,120
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	32,070	584,940	\$29,860	\$30,290	\$43,630	\$45,770

Note: 'ND' represents Non-Disclosable information.



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2023 Population		
Demographic	WDA	PA
Total Population	691,335	12,986,518
Female	350,108	6,585,606
Male	341,227	6,400,912
Population by Race		
White	71.3%	75.8%
Black	6.5%	10.7%
Other	14.5%	10.0%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	21.4%	8.4%
Population by Age		
Ages 0 to 17	21.1%	20.6%
Ages 18 to 24	9.5%	8.9%
Ages 25 to 34	12.5%	13.0%
Ages 35 to 44	12.5%	12.3%
Ages 45 to 54	12.3%	12.2%
Ages 55 to 64	13.5%	13.9%
Ages 65 to 74	10.7%	11.2%
Ages 75 and Older	7.9%	7.9%
Educational Attainment, Ages 18 and Older		
High School Diploma or Less	41.0%	42.0%
Some College or Associate Degree	27.9%	25.8%
Bachelor's Degree	19.6%	19.7%
Graduate or Professional Degree	11.4%	12.5%

Source: U.S. Census-2023 ACS 5-Year Estimates - DP05, B01001, and B15001

Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
February	2025	2024
Unemployment Rate	4.3%	3.9%
Labor Force	358,400	371,100
Employed	343,000	356,800
Unemployed	15,400	14,300

Notes: Current month's data are preliminary. Data are not seasonally adjusted.

Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q3 of 2024	
Lehigh Valley Hospital Center	
Saint Luke's Hospital	
Lehigh Valley Physician Group	
Amazon.com Services LLC	
Saint Luke's Physician Group Inc	
Wal-Mart Associates Inc	
Mack Trucks Inc	
Giant Food Stores LLC	
Federal Express Corp	
Allentown School District	

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Online Job Postings	WDA	PA
February 2025	14,269	235,805
February 2024	13,983	205,673
Annual Percent Change	2.0%	14.7%
Annual Volume Change	286	30,132

Source: The Conference Board - LightCast - Help Wanted OnLine™

Unemployment Compensation (UC) by Pre-UC Industry	Mar 2024 to Feb 2025				Feb 2025 Initial (IC) and Continued (CC) UC Claims							
	Exhaustees		Exh. Percent		IC Total		IC Percent		CC Total		CC Percent	
	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
Natural Resources and Mining	20	650	0.5%	1.0%	10	520	0.5%	1.0%	290	9,190	1.0%	2.0%
Construction	310	7,370	7.5%	10.0%	390	8,690	17.0%	20.5%	3,870	102,730	15.5%	21.0%
Manufacturing	530	8,510	12.5%	11.5%	280	5,250	12.5%	12.5%	2,930	51,160	11.5%	10.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,220	14,140	29.0%	19.5%	530	7,710	23.5%	18.0%	5,770	78,270	23.0%	16.0%
Information	90	1,610	2.0%	2.0%	30	490	1.0%	1.0%	280	6,440	1.0%	1.5%
Financial Activities	180	4,240	4.5%	6.0%	80	1,480	3.5%	3.5%	810	17,690	3.5%	3.5%
Professional and Business Services	910	14,810	21.5%	20.5%	400	6,680	18.0%	15.5%	5,490	91,380	22.0%	19.0%
Education and Health Service	480	11,800	11.5%	16.0%	250	5,400	11.5%	12.5%	2,750	57,580	11.0%	12.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	240	5,670	5.5%	8.0%	150	3,350	6.5%	8.0%	1,900	45,560	7.5%	9.5%
Other Services	150	2,000	3.5%	2.5%	40	890	1.5%	2.0%	430	11,120	1.5%	2.5%
Public Administration	40	1,590	1.0%	2.0%	10	340	0.5%	1.0%	190	6,830	1.0%	1.5%
Unclassified Industry	20	370	0.5%	0.5%	80	1,690	3.5%	4.0%	300	7,720	1.0%	1.5%
Total	4,190	72,760	100%	100%	2,240	42,490	100%	100%	25,000	485,660	100%	100%

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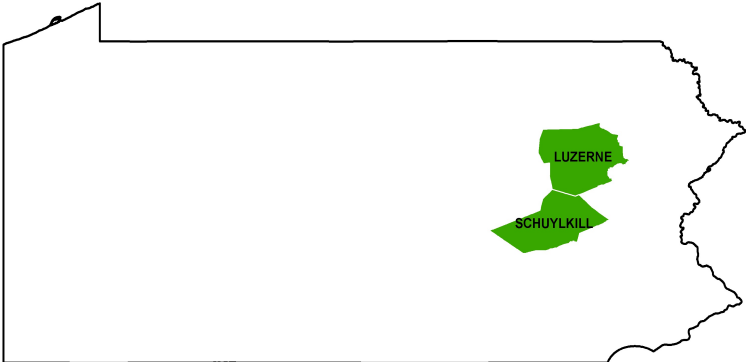
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		WDA		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
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11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	56	0.49	713	27,249	0.2%	0.5%	\$40,441	\$44,014
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	15	ND	ND	22,118	ND	0.4%	ND	\$101,711
22	Utilities	41	ND	ND	34,054	ND	0.6%	ND	\$110,867
23	Construction	1,286	0.79	11,356	268,718	3.5%	4.5%	\$76,869	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	745	1.19	36,329	566,896	11.3%	9.5%	\$78,621	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	758	1.04	12,087	216,986	3.8%	3.6%	\$89,058	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	1,931	0.97	31,449	601,132	9.8%	10.1%	\$35,777	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	815	2.11	39,236	345,491	12.2%	5.8%	\$56,175	\$59,247
51	Information	217	0.63	3,273	96,556	1.0%	1.6%	\$77,672	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	822	0.45	6,645	273,127	2.1%	4.6%	\$100,292	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	593	0.82	2,993	67,704	0.9%	1.1%	\$62,029	\$74,573
54	Professional and Technical Services	1,510	0.62	13,304	398,002	4.1%	6.7%	\$92,043	\$117,065
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	197	0.94	7,448	147,596	2.3%	2.5%	\$151,910	\$153,152
56	Administrative and Waste Services	885	1.12	18,227	303,622	5.7%	5.1%	\$50,256	\$51,067
61	Educational Services	450	0.97	25,247	485,148	7.9%	8.1%	\$61,275	\$67,022
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	2,166	1.07	63,976	1,108,490	20.0%	18.6%	\$71,983	\$63,414
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81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	1,523	0.82	8,923	203,144	2.8%	3.4%	\$41,072	\$43,903
92	Public Administration	155	0.60	7,522	232,974	2.3%	3.9%	\$67,598	\$73,804
	Total, Suppressed Industries	56		1,344		0.4%			

Company Ownership									
	Total, All Ownership	15,904	1.00	320,580	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$64,007	\$69,252
	Private Ownership	15,396	1.02	289,741	5,301,081	90.4%	88.9%	\$64,170	\$69,300
	Federal Ownership	75	0.39	2,115	101,636	0.7%	1.7%	\$82,681	\$90,018
	State Ownership	50	0.28	1,877	126,229	0.6%	2.1%	\$64,015	\$71,770
	Local Ownership	384	1.15	26,847	434,079	8.4%	7.3%	\$60,771	\$63,079

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17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	4,970	98,300	\$60,290	\$57,460	\$97,710	\$92,950
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23-0000	Legal	ND	48,970	\$48,560	\$51,470	\$109,270	\$120,620
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	16,400	328,020	\$36,460	\$34,430	\$69,430	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	3,800	89,620	\$31,210	\$32,120	\$55,100	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	24,050	415,140	\$51,240	\$48,400	\$108,190	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	16,500	340,210	\$27,210	\$26,680	\$36,650	\$35,120
33-0000	Protective Service	5,350	125,910	\$29,840	\$30,510	\$53,050	\$56,120
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43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	41,130	815,400	\$32,260	\$31,640	\$46,540	\$46,810
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	ND	47,090	\$21,880	\$25,510	\$38,770	\$41,590
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	9,500	251,960	\$41,880	\$40,300	\$63,180	\$61,810
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	12,790	246,050	\$39,500	\$36,690	\$59,740	\$57,200
51-0000	Production	23,110	373,880	\$35,310	\$32,920	\$49,540	\$48,120
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	45,550	584,940	\$33,180	\$30,290	\$46,960	\$45,770

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Other	8.0%	10.0%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	13.1%	8.4%
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Ages 0 to 17	20.2%	20.6%
Ages 18 to 24	8.2%	8.9%
Ages 25 to 34	12.4%	13.0%
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Ages 55 to 64	14.2%	13.9%
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Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
February	2025	2024
Unemployment Rate	5.1%	4.7%
Labor Force	227,600	228,900
Employed	216,000	218,000
Unemployed	11,600	10,800

Notes: Current month's data are preliminary. Data are not seasonally adjusted.

Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q3 of 2024	
Federal Government	
State Government	
Wal-Mart Associates Inc	
Amazon.com Services LLC	
Geisinger Wyoming Valley Medical Center	
Lowe's Home Centers LLC	
Hazleton Area School District	
TJ Maxx Distribution Center	
Chewy Inc	
Geisinger Clinic	

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

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Construction	350	7,370	10.0%	10.0%	410	8,690	17.5%	20.5%	4,500	102,730	19.5%	21.0%
Manufacturing	590	8,510	16.5%	11.5%	360	5,250	15.5%	12.5%	3,540	51,160	15.5%	10.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,140	14,140	32.0%	19.5%	740	7,710	32.0%	18.0%	5,540	78,270	24.0%	16.0%
Information	50	1,610	1.5%	2.0%	10	490	0.5%	1.0%	190	6,440	1.0%	1.5%
Financial Activities	110	4,240	3.0%	6.0%	60	1,480	2.5%	3.5%	680	17,690	3.0%	3.5%
Professional and Business Services	570	14,810	16.0%	20.5%	310	6,680	13.0%	15.5%	3,970	91,380	17.0%	19.0%
Education and Health Service	380	11,800	10.5%	16.0%	170	5,400	7.5%	12.5%	1,860	57,580	8.0%	12.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	200	5,670	5.5%	8.0%	100	3,350	4.5%	8.0%	1,520	45,560	6.5%	9.5%
Other Services	50	2,000	1.5%	2.5%	30	890	1.5%	2.0%	390	11,120	1.5%	2.5%
Public Administration	60	1,590	1.5%	2.0%	10	340	0.5%	1.0%	300	6,830	1.5%	1.5%
Unclassified Industry	20	370	0.5%	0.5%	90	1,690	4.0%	4.0%	280	7,720	1.0%	1.5%
Total	3,550	72,760	100%	100%	2,320	42,490	100%	100%	23,170	485,660	100%	100%

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21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	50	1.29	926	22,118	0.5%	0.4%	\$78,289	\$101,711
22	Utilities	67	1.89	2,095	34,054	1.1%	0.6%	\$116,367	\$110,867
23	Construction	816	0.85	7,455	268,718	3.8%	4.5%	\$66,356	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	505	1.52	27,997	566,896	14.4%	9.5%	\$64,913	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	426	0.79	5,609	216,986	2.9%	3.6%	\$69,160	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	1,550	1.09	21,278	601,132	11.0%	10.1%	\$33,729	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	585	2.50	28,059	345,491	14.5%	5.8%	\$52,120	\$59,247
51	Information	117	0.86	2,703	96,556	1.4%	1.6%	\$63,522	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	481	0.51	4,536	273,127	2.3%	4.6%	\$74,430	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	298	0.57	1,259	67,704	0.6%	1.1%	\$55,314	\$74,573
54	Professional and Technical Services	714	0.36	4,707	398,002	2.4%	6.7%	\$75,286	\$117,065
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	100	0.44	2,125	147,596	1.1%	2.5%	\$90,503	\$153,152
56	Administrative and Waste Services	514	1.02	10,069	303,622	5.2%	5.1%	\$41,230	\$51,067
61	Educational Services	236	0.83	13,171	485,148	6.8%	8.1%	\$52,953	\$67,022
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	1,601	0.89	32,135	1,108,490	16.6%	18.6%	\$59,353	\$63,414
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	134	0.56	1,848	102,276	1.0%	1.7%	\$30,360	\$43,044
72	Accommodation and Food Services	1,021	0.93	14,022	461,744	7.2%	7.7%	\$20,783	\$24,729
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	953	0.75	4,926	203,144	2.5%	3.4%	\$36,275	\$43,903
92	Public Administration	239	1.07	8,079	232,974	4.2%	3.9%	\$61,758	\$73,804
	Total, Suppressed Industries	0		0		0.0%			

Company Ownership

Total, All Ownership	10,462	1.00	193,898	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$53,706	\$69,252
Private Ownership	9,918	0.99	170,531	5,301,081	87.9%	88.9%	\$52,652	\$69,300
Federal Ownership	110	1.21	4,013	101,636	2.1%	1.7%	\$79,811	\$90,018
State Ownership	66	1.05	4,290	126,229	2.2%	2.1%	\$72,957	\$71,770
Local Ownership	369	1.07	15,063	434,079	7.8%	7.3%	\$53,208	\$63,079

Notes: 'Estab.'-Establishments. 'LQ'-(Location Quotient) is the percent of WDA employment by sector divided by the percent of PA's employment by sector.

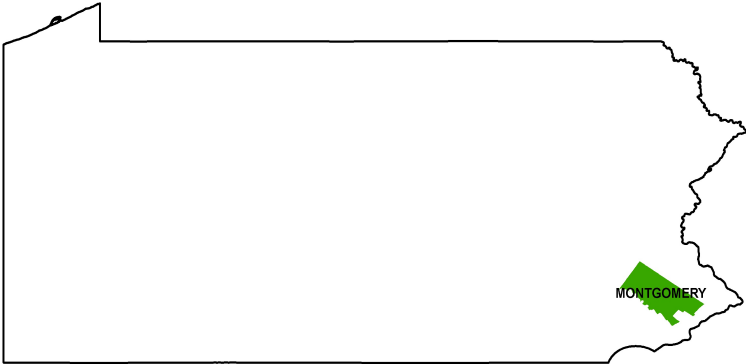
Occupational Employment (2022) and Wages (2023)

SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Estimated Employment		Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage	
		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	194,510	6,311,420	\$29,040	\$29,860	\$54,460	\$61,920
11-0000	Management	7,210	406,080	\$58,460	\$64,540	\$115,930	\$131,660
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	7,320	362,880	\$43,350	\$47,270	\$73,790	\$82,990
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	2,380	179,640	\$47,110	\$54,840	\$84,440	\$98,060
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	2,340	98,300	\$55,460	\$57,460	\$87,600	\$92,950
19-0000	Life, Physical, & Social Science	1,070	65,970	\$39,050	\$48,260	\$68,660	\$82,210
21-0000	Community & Social Service	3,790	137,600	\$34,670	\$36,700	\$50,750	\$55,040
23-0000	Legal	860	48,970	\$51,940	\$51,470	\$111,930	\$120,620
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	9,800	328,020	\$31,290	\$34,430	\$61,760	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	1,950	89,620	\$28,700	\$32,120	\$52,070	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	11,830	415,140	\$46,600	\$48,400	\$99,290	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	10,260	340,210	\$25,460	\$26,680	\$33,850	\$35,120
33-0000	Protective Service	4,900	125,910	\$29,640	\$30,510	\$55,620	\$56,120
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	13,340	471,490	\$20,530	\$21,170	\$30,100	\$31,550
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	5,470	202,710	\$26,710	\$27,390	\$35,320	\$37,490
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	3,700	184,610	\$20,840	\$22,380	\$33,650	\$35,260
41-0000	Sales & Related	15,070	534,980	\$23,520	\$24,850	\$42,050	\$50,440
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	25,180	815,400	\$30,610	\$31,640	\$44,100	\$46,810
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	1,040	47,090	\$25,990	\$25,510	\$45,020	\$41,590
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	6,990	251,960	\$38,820	\$40,300	\$58,820	\$61,810
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	9,440	246,050	\$35,440	\$36,690	\$56,010	\$57,200
51-0000	Production	18,090	373,880	\$32,220	\$32,920	\$46,860	\$48,120
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	32,480	584,940	\$32,260	\$30,290	\$43,530	\$45,770

Note: 'ND' represents Non-Disclosable information.

Montgomery County WDA Profile

April 2025



Due to BLS methodological changes and conversions to the 2020 Census-based area delineations, seasonally adjusted substate area LAUS data are not available until further notice.

2023 Population		
Demographic	WDA	PA
Total Population	861,225	12,986,518
Female	439,315	6,585,606
Male	421,910	6,400,912
Population by Race		
White	74.4%	75.8%
Black	9.3%	10.7%
Other	14.2%	10.0%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	6.5%	8.4%
Population by Age		
Ages 0 to 17	21.5%	20.6%
Ages 18 to 24	8.0%	8.9%
Ages 25 to 34	12.3%	13.0%
Ages 35 to 44	13.3%	12.3%
Ages 45 to 54	12.7%	12.2%
Ages 55 to 64	13.9%	13.9%
Ages 65 to 74	10.5%	11.2%
Ages 75 and Older	7.8%	7.9%
Educational Attainment, Ages 18 and Older		
High School Diploma or Less	28.6%	42.0%
Some College or Associate Degree	22.2%	25.8%
Bachelor's Degree	28.3%	19.7%
Graduate or Professional Degree	20.9%	12.5%

Source: U.S. Census-2023 ACS 5-Year Estimates - DP05, B01001, and B15001

Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
February	2025	2024
Unemployment Rate	3.4%	3.0%
Labor Force	470,900	473,900
Employed	454,700	459,800
Unemployed	16,200	14,000

Notes: Current month's data are preliminary. Data are not seasonally adjusted.

Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q3 of 2024	
Merck Sharp & Dohme Corporation	
Abington Memorial Hospital	
Main Line Hospitals Inc	
State Government	
SEI Investments Company	
Albert Einstein Medical Center	
SmithKline Beecham Corporation	
Giant Food Stores LLC	
Lockheed Martin Corp	
Montgomery County	

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Online Job Postings	WDA	PA
February 2025	21,338	235,805
February 2024	20,251	205,673
Annual Percent Change	5.4%	14.7%
Annual Volume Change	1,087	30,132

Source: The Conference Board - LightCast - Help Wanted OnLine TM

Unemployment Compensation (UC) by Pre-UC Industry	Mar 2024 to Feb 2025				Feb 2025 Initial (IC) and Continued (CC) UC Claims							
	Exhaustees		Exh. Percent		IC Total		IC Percent		CC Total		CC Percent	
	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
Natural Resources and Mining	10	650	0.0%	1.0%	10	520	0.5%	1.0%	150	9,190	0.5%	2.0%
Construction	380	7,370	9.0%	10.0%	350	8,690	17.5%	20.5%	4,270	102,730	17.5%	21.0%
Manufacturing	370	8,510	9.0%	11.5%	160	5,250	8.0%	12.5%	1,590	51,160	6.5%	10.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	650	14,140	15.5%	19.5%	330	7,710	16.5%	18.0%	3,620	78,270	15.0%	16.0%
Information	150	1,610	3.5%	2.0%	60	490	3.0%	1.0%	680	6,440	3.0%	1.5%
Financial Activities	390	4,240	9.5%	6.0%	130	1,480	6.5%	3.5%	1,700	17,690	7.0%	3.5%
Professional and Business Services	1,210	14,810	29.5%	20.5%	460	6,680	23.0%	15.5%	6,980	91,380	28.5%	19.0%
Education and Health Service	600	11,800	14.5%	16.0%	240	5,400	12.0%	12.5%	2,830	57,580	11.5%	12.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	200	5,670	5.0%	8.0%	140	3,350	7.0%	8.0%	1,710	45,560	7.0%	9.5%
Other Services	100	2,000	2.5%	2.5%	40	890	2.0%	2.0%	570	11,120	2.5%	2.5%
Public Administration	60	1,590	1.5%	2.0%	10	340	0.5%	1.0%	150	6,830	0.5%	1.5%
Unclassified Industry	10	370	0.0%	0.5%	70	1,690	3.5%	4.0%	210	7,720	1.0%	1.5%
Total	4,130	72,760	100%	100%	1,990	42,490	100%	100%	24,440	485,660	100%	100%

Notes: Percentages less than 0.5% will be displayed as 0.0%. Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding. Claims data are not comparable to claims data released in any other report.

Source: Pennsylvania Unemployment Compensation System

Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2023 Annual Averages

NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.	LQ	Employment		Employment %		Wages	
		WDA		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
	Total, All Industries	28,730	1.00	503,410	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$85,025	\$69,252
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	64	0.17	398	27,249	0.1%	0.5%	\$39,354	\$44,014
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	17	0.14	257	22,118	0.1%	0.4%	\$78,551	\$101,711
22	Utilities	46	1.02	2,946	34,054	0.6%	0.6%	\$163,610	\$110,867
23	Construction	2,530	1.11	25,146	268,718	5.0%	4.5%	\$95,023	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	998	0.95	45,242	566,896	9.0%	9.5%	\$111,644	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	1,474	1.25	22,823	216,986	4.5%	3.6%	\$131,693	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	2,887	1.01	51,026	601,132	10.1%	10.1%	\$39,714	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	583	0.49	14,251	345,491	2.8%	5.8%	\$55,311	\$59,247
51	Information	538	1.10	8,984	96,556	1.8%	1.6%	\$110,858	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	1,937	1.33	30,668	273,127	6.1%	4.6%	\$153,526	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	1,166	1.33	7,618	67,704	1.5%	1.1%	\$96,787	\$74,573
54	Professional and Technical Services	4,210	1.62	54,311	398,002	10.8%	6.7%	\$135,802	\$117,065
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	502	1.24	15,414	147,596	3.1%	2.5%	\$168,061	\$153,152
56	Administrative and Waste Services	1,708	1.29	32,977	303,622	6.6%	5.1%	\$61,007	\$51,067
61	Educational Services	681	0.79	32,187	485,148	6.4%	8.1%	\$66,394	\$67,022
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	3,872	0.97	90,598	1,108,490	18.0%	18.6%	\$62,942	\$63,414
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	479	0.94	8,117	102,276	1.6%	1.7%	\$30,175	\$43,044
72	Accommodation and Food Services	1,989	0.85	33,206	461,744	6.6%	7.7%	\$27,464	\$24,729
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	2,904	0.98	16,785	203,144	3.3%	3.4%	\$46,608	\$43,903
92	Public Administration	148	0.53	10,457	232,974	2.1%	3.9%	\$78,969	\$73,804
	Total, Suppressed Industries	0		0		0.0%			

Company Ownership

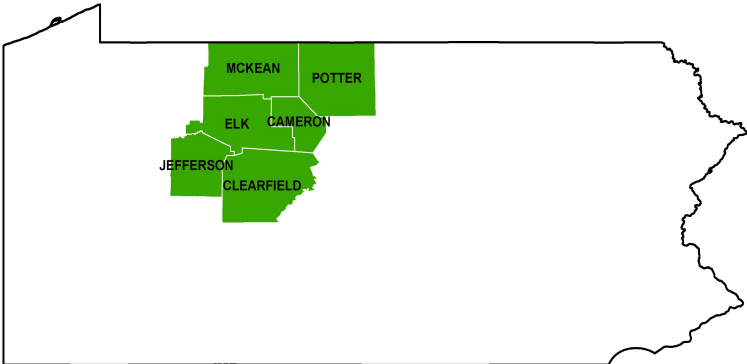
Total, All Ownership	28,730	1.00	503,410	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$85,025	\$69,252
Private Ownership	28,259	1.05	468,747	5,301,081	93.1%	88.9%	\$85,771	\$69,300
Federal Ownership	97	0.31	2,655	101,636	0.5%	1.7%	\$96,107	\$90,018
State Ownership	36	0.44	4,699	126,229	0.9%	2.1%	\$73,003	\$71,770
Local Ownership	338	0.75	27,309	434,079	5.4%	7.3%	\$73,209	\$63,079

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Occupational Employment (2022) and Wages (2023)

SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Estimated Employment		Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage	
		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	500,380	6,311,420	\$31,880	\$29,860	\$70,440	\$61,920
11-0000	Management	32,930	406,080	\$76,010	\$64,540	\$154,440	\$131,660
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	35,550	362,880	\$52,380	\$47,270	\$93,290	\$82,990
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	20,910	179,640	\$61,570	\$54,840	\$109,000	\$98,060
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	11,330	98,300	\$64,030	\$57,460	\$101,810	\$92,950
19-0000	Life, Physical, & Social Science	8,550	65,970	\$59,570	\$48,260	\$97,820	\$82,210
21-0000	Community & Social Service	8,510	137,600	\$40,040	\$36,700	\$59,140	\$55,040
23-0000	Legal	5,140	48,970	\$54,690	\$51,470	\$131,180	\$120,620
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	24,220	328,020	\$34,460	\$34,430	\$67,150	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	6,740	89,620	\$35,760	\$32,120	\$65,970	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	31,830	415,140	\$50,940	\$48,400	\$100,460	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	28,730	340,210	\$27,100	\$26,680	\$35,870	\$35,120
33-0000	Protective Service	8,750	125,910	\$30,220	\$30,510	\$53,550	\$56,120
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	29,600	471,490	\$22,910	\$21,170	\$33,850	\$31,550
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	16,240	202,710	\$30,250	\$27,390	\$41,190	\$37,490
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	11,710	184,610	\$23,270	\$22,380	\$36,590	\$35,260
41-0000	Sales & Related	51,420	534,980	\$26,980	\$24,850	\$54,930	\$50,440
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	69,040	815,400	\$33,890	\$31,640	\$50,620	\$46,810
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	980	47,090	\$29,440	\$25,510	\$44,350	\$41,590
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	20,160	251,960	\$44,690	\$40,300	\$71,320	\$61,810
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	17,040	246,050	\$39,340	\$36,690	\$62,360	\$57,200
51-0000	Production	24,760	373,880	\$35,240	\$32,920	\$51,680	\$48,120
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	36,230	584,940	\$31,110	\$30,290	\$45,050	\$45,770

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Total Population	214,604	12,986,518
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Male	110,259	6,400,912
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Other	3.5%	10.0%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	1.9%	8.4%
Population by Age		
Ages 0 to 17	19.4%	20.6%
Ages 18 to 24	7.4%	8.9%
Ages 25 to 34	11.2%	13.0%
Ages 35 to 44	11.3%	12.3%
Ages 45 to 54	13.0%	12.2%
Ages 55 to 64	15.6%	13.9%
Ages 65 to 74	12.9%	11.2%
Ages 75 and Older	9.2%	7.9%
Educational Attainment, Ages 18 and Older		
High School Diploma or Less	57.2%	42.0%
Some College or Associate Degree	24.6%	25.8%
Bachelor's Degree	12.2%	19.7%
Graduate or Professional Degree	6.0%	12.5%

Source: U.S. Census-2023 ACS 5-Year Estimates - DP05, B01001, and B15001

Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
February	2025	2024
Unemployment Rate	5.2%	4.5%
Labor Force	93,100	94,300
Employed	88,200	90,100
Unemployed	4,800	4,200

Notes: Current month's data are preliminary. Data are not seasonally adjusted.

Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q3 of 2024	
Wal-Mart Associates Inc	
State Government	
DuBois Regional Medical Center	
Federal Government	
DuBois Area School District	
Goodwill Industries of North Central PA	
Zippo Manufacturing Company	
Keystone Powdered Metal Company	
Cen-Clear Child Services Inc	
Morris Compressors Inc	

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Online Job Postings	WDA	PA
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February 2024	1,135	205,673
Annual Percent Change	85.6%	14.7%
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Unemployment Compensation (UC) by Pre-UC Industry	Mar 2024 to Feb 2025				Feb 2025 Initial (IC) and Continued (CC) UC Claims							
	Exhaustees		Exh. Percent		IC Total		IC Percent		CC Total		CC Percent	
	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
Natural Resources and Mining	40	650	5.0%	1.0%	30	520	3.5%	1.0%	330	9,190	3.0%	2.0%
Construction	130	7,370	16.5%	10.0%	300	8,690	32.5%	20.5%	3,340	102,730	33.0%	21.0%
Manufacturing	190	8,510	24.0%	11.5%	230	5,250	24.5%	12.5%	1,910	51,160	19.0%	10.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	150	14,140	19.0%	19.5%	150	7,710	16.5%	18.0%	1,360	78,270	13.5%	16.0%
Information	0	1,610	0.0%	2.0%	10	490	0.5%	1.0%	70	6,440	0.5%	1.5%
Financial Activities	10	4,240	1.5%	6.0%	10	1,480	0.5%	3.5%	80	17,690	1.0%	3.5%
Professional and Business Services	90	14,810	11.5%	20.5%	50	6,680	5.5%	15.5%	910	91,380	9.0%	19.0%
Education and Health Service	90	11,800	11.5%	16.0%	80	5,400	8.5%	12.5%	630	57,580	6.0%	12.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	40	5,670	5.0%	8.0%	30	3,350	3.5%	8.0%	770	45,560	7.5%	9.5%
Other Services	30	2,000	4.0%	2.5%	10	890	1.0%	2.0%	220	11,120	2.0%	2.5%
Public Administration	30	1,590	4.0%	2.0%	10	340	1.0%	1.0%	350	6,830	3.5%	1.5%
Unclassified Industry	0	370	0.0%	0.5%	20	1,690	2.0%	4.0%	140	7,720	1.5%	1.5%
Total	800	72,760	100%	100%	930	42,490	100%	100%	10,100	485,660	100%	100%

Notes: Percentages less than 0.5% will be displayed as 0.0%. Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding. Claims data are not comparable to claims data released in any other report.

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Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2023 Annual Averages

NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.	LQ	Employment		Employment %		Wages	
		WDA		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
	Total, All Industries	5,936	1.00	77,925	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$49,086	\$69,252
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	113	ND	ND	27,249	ND	0.5%	ND	\$44,014
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	92	4.11	1,189	22,118	1.5%	0.4%	\$84,167	\$101,711
22	Utilities	69	1.23	549	34,054	0.7%	0.6%	\$76,908	\$110,867
23	Construction	409	0.78	2,735	268,718	3.5%	4.5%	\$56,993	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	449	2.22	16,430	566,896	21.1%	9.5%	\$59,592	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	175	0.60	1,706	216,986	2.2%	3.6%	\$61,243	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	762	1.21	9,478	601,132	12.2%	10.1%	\$31,022	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	441	ND	ND	345,491	ND	5.8%	ND	\$59,247
51	Information	87	0.65	822	96,556	1.1%	1.6%	\$51,044	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	210	0.39	1,402	273,127	1.8%	4.6%	\$60,617	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	86	ND	ND	67,704	ND	1.1%	ND	\$74,573
54	Professional and Technical Services	307	0.34	1,779	398,002	2.3%	6.7%	\$53,145	\$117,065
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	56	0.72	1,382	147,596	1.8%	2.5%	\$80,456	\$153,152
56	Administrative and Waste Services	184	0.61	2,439	303,622	3.1%	5.1%	\$46,395	\$51,067
61	Educational Services	147	0.84	5,326	485,148	6.8%	8.1%	\$48,751	\$67,022
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	984	0.91	13,254	1,108,490	17.0%	18.6%	\$52,941	\$63,414
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	67	0.30	406	102,276	0.5%	1.7%	\$20,292	\$43,044
72	Accommodation and Food Services	490	0.93	5,633	461,744	7.2%	7.7%	\$16,419	\$24,729
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	552	1.18	3,144	203,144	4.0%	3.4%	\$27,313	\$43,903
92	Public Administration	256	1.37	4,162	232,974	5.3%	3.9%	\$55,586	\$73,804
	Total, Suppressed Industries	640		6,090		7.8%			

Company Ownership

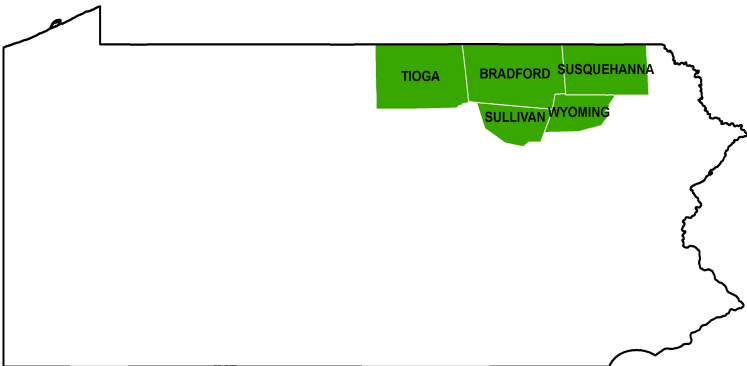
Total, All Ownership	5,936	1.00	77,925	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$49,086	\$69,252
Private Ownership	5,357	0.97	67,025	5,301,081	86.0%	88.9%	\$48,534	\$69,300
Federal Ownership	119	0.68	909	101,636	1.2%	1.7%	\$69,596	\$90,018
State Ownership	101	1.58	2,614	126,229	3.4%	2.1%	\$68,126	\$71,770
Local Ownership	360	1.30	7,378	434,079	9.5%	7.3%	\$44,816	\$63,079

Notes: 'Estab.'-Establishments. 'LQ'-(Location Quotient) is the percent of WDA employment by sector divided by the percent of PA's employment by sector.

Occupational Employment (2022) and Wages (2023)

SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Estimated Employment		Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage	
		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	84,040	6,311,420	\$27,660	\$29,860	\$50,970	\$61,920
11-0000	Management	3,510	406,080	\$56,090	\$64,540	\$105,470	\$131,660
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	2,260	362,880	\$40,370	\$47,270	\$64,880	\$82,990
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	690	179,640	\$44,270	\$54,840	\$75,870	\$98,060
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	1,460	98,300	\$50,140	\$57,460	\$78,430	\$92,950
19-0000	Life, Physical, & Social Science	600	65,970	\$44,220	\$48,260	\$65,940	\$82,210
21-0000	Community & Social Service	2,060	137,600	\$34,060	\$36,700	\$50,170	\$55,040
23-0000	Legal	280	48,970	\$39,110	\$51,470	\$86,430	\$120,620
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	3,730	328,020	\$31,460	\$34,430	\$58,150	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	790	89,620	\$26,740	\$32,120	\$50,640	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	5,380	415,140	\$42,050	\$48,400	\$86,490	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	4,670	340,210	\$27,250	\$26,680	\$34,600	\$35,120
33-0000	Protective Service	1,670	125,910	\$33,110	\$30,510	\$58,680	\$56,120
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	6,200	471,490	\$19,390	\$21,170	\$28,560	\$31,550
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	3,180	202,710	\$25,230	\$27,390	\$33,290	\$37,490
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	2,050	184,610	\$21,640	\$22,380	\$31,480	\$35,260
41-0000	Sales & Related	6,440	534,980	\$22,400	\$24,850	\$39,260	\$50,440
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	9,980	815,400	\$28,670	\$31,640	\$42,150	\$46,810
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	1,100	47,090	\$31,400	\$25,510	\$48,400	\$41,590
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	4,000	251,960	\$36,720	\$40,300	\$53,220	\$61,810
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	4,300	246,050	\$33,710	\$36,690	\$53,800	\$57,200
51-0000	Production	10,860	373,880	\$31,750	\$32,920	\$46,090	\$48,120
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	8,830	584,940	\$28,780	\$30,290	\$43,740	\$45,770

Note: 'ND' represents Non-Disclosable information.



Due to BLS methodological changes and conversions to the 2020 Census-based area delineations, seasonally adjusted substate area LAUS data are not available until further notice.

2023 Population		
Demographic	WDA	PA
Total Population	171,322	12,986,518
Female	85,174	6,585,606
Male	86,148	6,400,912
Population by Race		
White	95.4%	75.8%
Black	0.8%	10.7%
Other	3.3%	10.0%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	1.9%	8.4%
Population by Age		
Ages 0 to 17	20.0%	20.6%
Ages 18 to 24	7.5%	8.9%
Ages 25 to 34	10.7%	13.0%
Ages 35 to 44	10.9%	12.3%
Ages 45 to 54	12.0%	12.2%
Ages 55 to 64	15.8%	13.9%
Ages 65 to 74	13.5%	11.2%
Ages 75 and Older	9.7%	7.9%
Educational Attainment, Ages 18 and Older		
High School Diploma or Less	54.7%	42.0%
Some College or Associate Degree	25.5%	25.8%
Bachelor's Degree	12.4%	19.7%
Graduate or Professional Degree	7.4%	12.5%

Source: U.S. Census-2023 ACS 5-Year Estimates - DP05, B01001, and B15001

Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
February	2025	2024
Unemployment Rate	5.0%	4.0%
Labor Force	76,700	83,600
Employed	72,900	80,300
Unemployed	3,800	3,300

Notes: Current month's data are preliminary. Data are not seasonally adjusted.

Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q3 of 2024	
Robert Packer Hospital Inc	
The Procter & Gamble Paper Prods Co	
Cargill Meat Solutions Corporation	
Guthrie Medical Group PC	
State Government	
Wal-Mart Associates Inc	
The Guthrie Clinic	
Exel Inc	
Federal Government	
Jeld-Wen Inc	

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Online Job Postings	WDA	PA
February 2025	1,398	235,805
February 2024	862	205,673
Annual Percent Change	62.2%	14.7%
Annual Volume Change	536	30,132

Source: The Conference Board - LightCast - Help Wanted OnLine™

Unemployment Compensation (UC) by Pre-UC Industry	Mar 2024 to Feb 2025				Feb 2025 Initial (IC) and Continued (CC) UC Claims							
	Exhaustees		Exh. Percent		IC Total		IC Percent		CC Total		CC Percent	
	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
Natural Resources and Mining	50	650	7.0%	1.0%	30	520	6.5%	1.0%	810	9,190	12.0%	2.0%
Construction	80	7,370	11.5%	10.0%	120	8,690	27.0%	20.5%	1,740	102,730	25.5%	21.0%
Manufacturing	100	8,510	14.5%	11.5%	80	5,250	18.5%	12.5%	950	51,160	14.0%	10.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	170	14,140	24.5%	19.5%	70	7,710	16.0%	18.0%	1,040	78,270	15.0%	16.0%
Information	0	1,610	0.0%	2.0%	0	490	0.5%	1.0%	70	6,440	1.0%	1.5%
Financial Activities	20	4,240	3.0%	6.0%	10	1,480	1.0%	3.5%	70	17,690	1.0%	3.5%
Professional and Business Services	130	14,810	19.0%	20.5%	50	6,680	10.0%	15.5%	720	91,380	10.5%	19.0%
Education and Health Service	60	11,800	8.5%	16.0%	50	5,400	10.5%	12.5%	400	57,580	6.0%	12.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	30	5,670	4.5%	8.0%	20	3,350	4.5%	8.0%	600	45,560	9.0%	9.5%
Other Services	20	2,000	3.0%	2.5%	10	890	1.0%	2.0%	90	11,120	1.5%	2.5%
Public Administration	30	1,590	4.5%	2.0%	10	340	1.0%	1.0%	220	6,830	3.5%	1.5%
Unclassified Industry	0	370	0.0%	0.5%	20	1,690	3.5%	4.0%	100	7,720	1.5%	1.5%
Total	690	72,760	100%	100%	450	42,490	100%	100%	6,810	485,660	100%	100%

Notes: Percentages less than 0.5% will be displayed as 0.0%. Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding. Claims data are not comparable to claims data released in any other report.

Source: Pennsylvania Unemployment Compensation System

Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2023 Annual Averages

NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.	LQ	Employment		Employment %		Wages	
		WDA		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
	Total, All Industries	4,440	1.00	54,649	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$54,862	\$69,252
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	91	1.85	463	27,249	0.8%	0.5%	\$40,597	\$44,014
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	128	ND	ND	22,118	ND	0.4%	ND	\$101,711
22	Utilities	58	ND	ND	34,054	ND	0.6%	ND	\$110,867
23	Construction	367	1.07	2,623	268,718	4.8%	4.5%	\$59,372	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	171	1.60	8,315	566,896	15.2%	9.5%	\$64,719	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	158	0.71	1,421	216,986	2.6%	3.6%	\$62,881	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	610	1.24	6,827	601,132	12.5%	10.1%	\$33,853	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	359	ND	ND	345,491	ND	5.8%	ND	\$59,247
51	Information	66	ND	ND	96,556	ND	1.6%	ND	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	178	0.53	1,315	273,127	2.4%	4.6%	\$68,804	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	84	0.69	429	67,704	0.8%	1.1%	\$72,961	\$74,573
54	Professional and Technical Services	263	0.39	1,429	398,002	2.6%	6.7%	\$67,425	\$117,065
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	26	0.59	804	147,596	1.5%	2.5%	\$87,285	\$153,152
56	Administrative and Waste Services	163	0.44	1,213	303,622	2.2%	5.1%	\$44,636	\$51,067
61	Educational Services	106	0.97	4,333	485,148	7.9%	8.1%	\$56,728	\$67,022
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	587	0.93	9,497	1,108,490	17.4%	18.6%	\$61,942	\$63,414
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	55	0.52	486	102,276	0.9%	1.7%	\$21,984	\$43,044
72	Accommodation and Food Services	378	0.96	4,075	461,744	7.5%	7.7%	\$18,894	\$24,729
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	372	0.86	1,602	203,144	2.9%	3.4%	\$29,340	\$43,903
92	Public Administration	222	1.13	2,421	232,974	4.4%	3.9%	\$43,915	\$73,804
	Total, Suppressed Industries	611		7,396		13.5%			
Company Ownership									
	Total, All Ownership	4,440	1.00	54,649	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$54,862	\$69,252
	Private Ownership	3,986	0.96	46,660	5,301,081	85.4%	88.9%	\$55,193	\$69,300
	Federal Ownership	94	0.52	483	101,636	0.9%	1.7%	\$63,070	\$90,018
	State Ownership	62	1.11	1,279	126,229	2.3%	2.1%	\$64,859	\$71,770
	Local Ownership	298	1.57	6,227	434,079	11.4%	7.3%	\$49,696	\$63,079

Notes: 'Estab.'-Establishments. 'LQ'-(Location Quotient) is the percent of WDA employment by sector divided by the percent of PA's employment by sector.

Occupational Employment (2022) and Wages (2023)

SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Estimated Employment		Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage	
		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	60,130	6,311,420	\$27,400	\$29,860	\$51,830	\$61,920
11-0000	Management	3,300	406,080	\$54,240	\$64,540	\$104,890	\$131,660
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	1,480	362,880	\$40,190	\$47,270	\$69,130	\$82,990
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	600	179,640	\$49,070	\$54,840	\$82,460	\$98,060
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	800	98,300	\$50,750	\$57,460	\$82,380	\$92,950
19-0000	Life, Physical, & Social Science	490	65,970	\$44,580	\$48,260	\$72,350	\$82,210
21-0000	Community & Social Service	980	137,600	\$33,850	\$36,700	\$49,050	\$55,040
23-0000	Legal	190	48,970	\$38,540	\$51,470	\$83,540	\$120,620
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	3,400	328,020	\$33,150	\$34,430	\$61,940	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	420	89,620	\$26,700	\$32,120	\$51,840	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	3,850	415,140	\$44,560	\$48,400	\$90,920	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	3,070	340,210	\$27,150	\$26,680	\$34,740	\$35,120
33-0000	Protective Service	880	125,910	\$31,020	\$30,510	\$54,240	\$56,120
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	4,010	471,490	\$19,500	\$21,170	\$28,630	\$31,550
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	2,170	202,710	\$25,460	\$27,390	\$34,340	\$37,490
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	1,480	184,610	\$21,620	\$22,380	\$31,910	\$35,260
41-0000	Sales & Related	5,640	534,980	\$22,210	\$24,850	\$39,110	\$50,440
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	6,820	815,400	\$28,690	\$31,640	\$42,760	\$46,810
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	1,600	47,090	\$30,620	\$25,510	\$47,680	\$41,590
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	3,770	251,960	\$36,970	\$40,300	\$53,620	\$61,810
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	3,390	246,050	\$34,480	\$36,690	\$55,200	\$57,200
51-0000	Production	6,070	373,880	\$25,010	\$32,920	\$41,430	\$48,120
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	5,730	584,940	\$30,530	\$30,290	\$45,120	\$45,770

Note: 'ND' represents Non-Disclosable information.



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2023 Population		
Demographic	WDA	PA
Total Population	485,085	12,986,518
Female	242,843	6,585,606
Male	242,242	6,400,912
Population by Race		
White	88.1%	75.8%
Black	4.6%	10.7%
Other	6.2%	10.0%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	3.2%	8.4%
Population by Age		
Ages 0 to 17	20.2%	20.6%
Ages 18 to 24	9.3%	8.9%
Ages 25 to 34	11.9%	13.0%
Ages 35 to 44	11.5%	12.3%
Ages 45 to 54	12.0%	12.2%
Ages 55 to 64	14.4%	13.9%
Ages 65 to 74	12.4%	11.2%
Ages 75 and Older	8.4%	7.9%
Educational Attainment, Ages 18 and Older		
High School Diploma or Less	49.7%	42.0%
Some College or Associate Degree	26.7%	25.8%
Bachelor's Degree	15.2%	19.7%
Graduate or Professional Degree	8.4%	12.5%

Source: U.S. Census-2023 ACS 5-Year Estimates - DP05, B01001, and B15001

Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
February	2025	2024
Unemployment Rate	4.7%	4.2%
Labor Force	216,300	220,900
Employed	206,100	211,500
Unemployed	10,200	9,400

Notes: Current month's data are preliminary. Data are not seasonally adjusted.

Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q3 of 2024	
State Government	
Wal-Mart Associates Inc	
Erie Indemnity Co	
UPMC Hamot	
Wabtec US Rail Inc	
Federal Government	
Saint Vincent Health Center	
Meadville Medical Center	
School District of the City of Erie	
Regional Health Services Inc	

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Online Job Postings	WDA	PA
February 2025	4,893	235,805
February 2024	3,461	205,673
Annual Percent Change	41.4%	14.7%
Annual Volume Change	1,432	30,132

Source: The Conference Board - LightCast - Help Wanted OnLine TM

Unemployment Compensation (UC) by Pre-UC Industry	Mar 2024 to Feb 2025				Feb 2025 Initial (IC) and Continued (CC) UC Claims							
	Exhaustees		Exh. Percent		IC Total		IC Percent		CC Total		CC Percent	
	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
Natural Resources and Mining	10	650	0.5%	1.0%	10	520	1.0%	1.0%	720	9,190	3.5%	2.0%
Construction	230	7,370	11.5%	10.0%	390	8,690	26.0%	20.5%	4,810	102,730	25.0%	21.0%
Manufacturing	370	8,510	19.0%	11.5%	330	5,250	22.0%	12.5%	2,830	51,160	14.5%	10.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	320	14,140	16.0%	19.5%	200	7,710	13.0%	18.0%	2,750	78,270	14.0%	16.0%
Information	20	1,610	1.0%	2.0%	10	490	1.0%	1.0%	150	6,440	1.0%	1.5%
Financial Activities	80	4,240	4.0%	6.0%	30	1,480	2.0%	3.5%	330	17,690	1.5%	3.5%
Professional and Business Services	310	14,810	15.5%	20.5%	140	6,680	9.5%	15.5%	2,620	91,380	13.5%	19.0%
Education and Health Service	340	11,800	17.5%	16.0%	200	5,400	13.5%	12.5%	2,000	57,580	10.5%	12.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	170	5,670	8.5%	8.0%	100	3,350	6.5%	8.0%	1,990	45,560	10.5%	9.5%
Other Services	50	2,000	2.5%	2.5%	40	890	2.5%	2.0%	480	11,120	2.5%	2.5%
Public Administration	70	1,590	3.5%	2.0%	10	340	1.0%	1.0%	480	6,830	2.5%	1.5%
Unclassified Industry	0	370	0.0%	0.5%	30	1,690	2.0%	4.0%	210	7,720	1.0%	1.5%
Total	1,970	72,760	100%	100%	1,480	42,490	100%	100%	19,370	485,660	100%	100%

Notes: Percentages less than 0.5% will be displayed as 0.0%. Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding. Claims data are not comparable to claims data released in any other report.

Source: Pennsylvania Unemployment Compensation System

Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2023 Annual Averages

NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.	LQ	Employment		Employment %		Wages	
		WDA		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
	Total, All Industries	12,264	1.00	191,133	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$50,267	\$69,252
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	148	1.16	1,009	27,249	0.5%	0.5%	\$39,964	\$44,014
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	83	ND	ND	22,118	ND	0.4%	ND	\$101,711
22	Utilities	66	1.04	1,140	34,054	0.6%	0.6%	\$93,857	\$110,867
23	Construction	906	0.80	6,888	268,718	3.6%	4.5%	\$56,788	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	952	1.82	33,051	566,896	17.3%	9.5%	\$63,552	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	392	0.59	4,070	216,986	2.1%	3.6%	\$59,463	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	1,589	1.17	22,517	601,132	11.8%	10.1%	\$32,676	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	460	ND	ND	345,491	ND	5.8%	ND	\$59,247
51	Information	138	ND	ND	96,556	ND	1.6%	ND	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	531	0.79	6,902	273,127	3.6%	4.6%	\$82,666	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	277	ND	ND	67,704	ND	1.1%	ND	\$74,573
54	Professional and Technical Services	712	ND	ND	398,002	ND	6.7%	ND	\$117,065
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	90	ND	ND	147,596	ND	2.5%	ND	\$153,152
56	Administrative and Waste Services	516	0.63	6,157	303,622	3.2%	5.1%	\$34,614	\$51,067
61	Educational Services	375	ND	ND	485,148	ND	8.1%	ND	\$67,022
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	2,262	1.17	41,412	1,108,490	21.7%	18.6%	\$53,711	\$63,414
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	185	1.00	3,263	102,276	1.7%	1.7%	\$23,311	\$43,044
72	Accommodation and Food Services	1,070	1.13	16,735	461,744	8.8%	7.7%	\$18,691	\$24,729
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	1,175	1.22	7,935	203,144	4.2%	3.4%	\$33,267	\$43,903
92	Public Administration	338	1.14	8,545	232,974	4.5%	3.9%	\$61,039	\$73,804
	Total, Suppressed Industries	2,135		31,509		16.5%			

Company Ownership

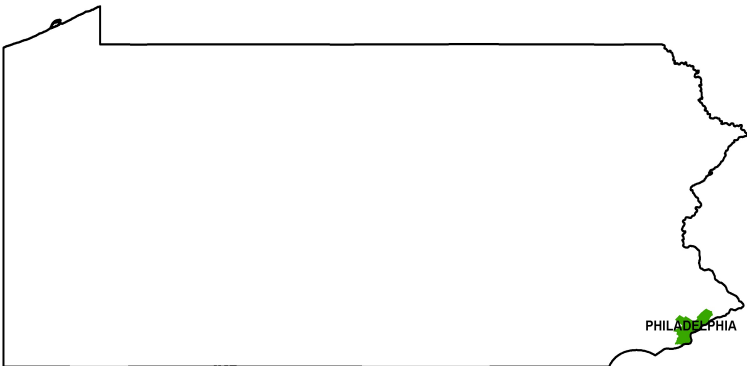
Total, All Ownership	12,264	1.00	191,133	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$50,267	\$69,252
Private Ownership	11,451	0.97	165,183	5,301,081	86.4%	88.9%	\$48,944	\$69,300
Federal Ownership	143	0.72	2,346	101,636	1.2%	1.7%	\$76,547	\$90,018
State Ownership	118	1.71	6,932	126,229	3.6%	2.1%	\$69,938	\$71,770
Local Ownership	551	1.20	16,672	434,079	8.7%	7.3%	\$51,496	\$63,079

Notes: 'Estab.'-Establishments. 'LQ'-(Location Quotient) is the percent of WDA employment by sector divided by the percent of PA's employment by sector.

Occupational Employment (2022) and Wages (2023)

SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Estimated Employment		Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage	
		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	202,880	6,311,420	\$26,790	\$29,860	\$51,370	\$61,920
11-0000	Management	9,190	406,080	\$55,220	\$64,540	\$105,960	\$131,660
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	6,580	362,880	\$41,300	\$47,270	\$69,630	\$82,990
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	2,160	179,640	\$46,770	\$54,840	\$81,050	\$98,060
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	2,840	98,300	\$51,450	\$57,460	\$81,470	\$92,950
19-0000	Life, Physical, & Social Science	1,140	65,970	\$43,620	\$48,260	\$66,670	\$82,210
21-0000	Community & Social Service	5,560	137,600	\$34,610	\$36,700	\$49,800	\$55,040
23-0000	Legal	750	48,970	\$42,890	\$51,470	\$89,240	\$120,620
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	11,690	328,020	\$32,900	\$34,430	\$60,860	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	2,060	89,620	\$28,540	\$32,120	\$54,320	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	13,870	415,140	\$44,080	\$48,400	\$88,300	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	15,660	340,210	\$24,940	\$26,680	\$32,540	\$35,120
33-0000	Protective Service	4,050	125,910	\$30,000	\$30,510	\$57,810	\$56,120
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	16,030	471,490	\$19,470	\$21,170	\$28,670	\$31,550
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	6,600	202,710	\$25,180	\$27,390	\$34,060	\$37,490
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	5,700	184,610	\$20,700	\$22,380	\$32,790	\$35,260
41-0000	Sales & Related	18,230	534,980	\$22,680	\$24,850	\$40,450	\$50,440
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	24,210	815,400	\$28,620	\$31,640	\$41,890	\$46,810
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	2,540	47,090	\$27,120	\$25,510	\$44,390	\$41,590
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	7,920	251,960	\$36,470	\$40,300	\$54,390	\$61,810
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	7,880	246,050	\$32,960	\$36,690	\$50,910	\$57,200
51-0000	Production	22,950	373,880	\$30,430	\$32,920	\$44,420	\$48,120
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	15,280	584,940	\$26,790	\$30,290	\$39,920	\$45,770

Note: 'ND' represents Non-Disclosable information.



Due to BLS methodological changes and conversions to the 2020 Census-based area delineations, seasonally adjusted substate area LAUS data are not available until further notice.

2023 Population		
Demographic	WDA	PA
Total Population	1,582,432	12,986,518
Female	833,022	6,585,606
Male	749,410	6,400,912
Population by Race		
White	36.1%	75.8%
Black	39.9%	10.7%
Other	15.6%	10.0%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	15.2%	8.4%
Population by Age		
Ages 0 to 17	21.4%	20.6%
Ages 18 to 24	9.8%	8.9%
Ages 25 to 34	18.7%	13.0%
Ages 35 to 44	13.4%	12.3%
Ages 45 to 54	10.9%	12.2%
Ages 55 to 64	11.5%	13.9%
Ages 65 to 74	8.6%	11.2%
Ages 75 and Older	5.7%	7.9%
Educational Attainment, Ages 18 and Older		
High School Diploma or Less	42.6%	42.0%
Some College or Associate Degree	25.0%	25.8%
Bachelor's Degree	18.8%	19.7%
Graduate or Professional Degree	13.6%	12.5%

Source: U.S. Census-2023 ACS 5-Year Estimates - DP05, B01001, and B15001

Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
February	2025	2024
Unemployment Rate	5.0%	4.5%
Labor Force	784,700	761,900
Employed	745,700	727,600
Unemployed	39,000	34,300

Notes: Current month's data are preliminary. Data are not seasonally adjusted.

Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q3 of 2024		
Trustees of the University of PA		
Federal Government		
City of Philadelphia		
School District of Philadelphia		
The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia		
Temple University		
Thomas Jefferson University Hospital		
Temple University Hospital Inc		
Southeastern PA Transportation Authority		
American Airlines Inc		

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Online Job Postings	WDA	PA
February 2025	31,663	235,805
February 2024	31,550	205,673
Annual Percent Change	0.4%	14.7%
Annual Volume Change	113	30,132

Source: The Conference Board - LightCast - Help Wanted OnLine™

Unemployment Compensation (UC) by Pre-UC Industry	Mar 2024 to Feb 2025				Feb 2025 Initial (IC) and Continued (CC) UC Claims							
	Exhaustees		Exh. Percent		IC Total		IC Percent		CC Total		CC Percent	
	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
Natural Resources and Mining	20	650	0.0%	1.0%	0	520	0.0%	1.0%	130	9,190	0.0%	2.0%
Construction	790	7,370	6.0%	10.0%	460	8,690	8.5%	20.5%	5,360	102,730	9.0%	21.0%
Manufacturing	850	8,510	6.5%	11.5%	300	5,250	5.5%	12.5%	2,820	51,160	5.0%	10.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	2,040	14,140	15.0%	19.5%	910	7,710	16.5%	18.0%	8,530	78,270	14.5%	16.0%
Information	260	1,610	2.0%	2.0%	80	490	1.5%	1.0%	1,040	6,440	1.5%	1.5%
Financial Activities	710	4,240	5.5%	6.0%	190	1,480	3.5%	3.5%	2,770	17,690	4.5%	3.5%
Professional and Business Services	2,560	14,810	19.0%	20.5%	900	6,680	16.5%	15.5%	11,330	91,380	19.0%	19.0%
Education and Health Service	3,820	11,800	28.5%	16.0%	1,270	5,400	23.5%	12.5%	15,180	57,580	25.5%	12.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	1,510	5,670	11.5%	8.0%	760	3,350	14.0%	8.0%	8,250	45,560	14.0%	9.5%
Other Services	380	2,000	3.0%	2.5%	170	890	3.0%	2.0%	2,010	11,120	3.5%	2.5%
Public Administration	400	1,590	3.0%	2.0%	80	340	1.5%	1.0%	780	6,830	1.5%	1.5%
Unclassified Industry	60	370	0.5%	0.5%	320	1,690	6.0%	4.0%	1,020	7,720	1.5%	1.5%
Total	13,400	72,760	100%	100%	5,440	42,490	100%	100%	59,210	485,660	100%	100%

Notes: Percentages less than 0.5% will be displayed as 0.0%. Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding. Claims data are not comparable to claims data released in any other report.

Source: Pennsylvania Unemployment Compensation System

Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2023 Annual Averages

NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.	LQ	Employment		Employment %		Wages	
		WDA		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
	Total, All Industries	34,106	1.00	701,436	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$80,679	\$69,252
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	19	ND	ND	27,249	ND	0.5%	ND	\$44,014
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	1	ND	ND	22,118	ND	0.4%	ND	\$101,711
22	Utilities	29	1.25	5,021	34,054	0.7%	0.6%	\$106,746	\$110,867
23	Construction	1,662	0.46	14,385	268,718	2.1%	4.5%	\$89,081	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	690	0.30	19,743	566,896	2.8%	9.5%	\$76,433	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	905	0.50	12,774	216,986	1.8%	3.6%	\$88,580	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	4,344	0.65	45,784	601,132	6.5%	10.1%	\$36,178	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	1,078	0.88	35,612	345,491	5.1%	5.8%	\$73,634	\$59,247
51	Information	562	1.15	13,075	96,556	1.9%	1.6%	\$151,155	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	1,336	0.84	26,886	273,127	3.8%	4.6%	\$154,571	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	1,515	1.32	10,521	67,704	1.5%	1.1%	\$79,973	\$74,573
54	Professional and Technical Services	3,870	1.27	59,519	398,002	8.5%	6.7%	\$142,045	\$117,065
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	339	0.75	13,016	147,596	1.9%	2.5%	\$158,813	\$153,152
56	Administrative and Waste Services	1,188	0.79	28,070	303,622	4.0%	5.1%	\$49,213	\$51,067
61	Educational Services	1,091	1.49	85,252	485,148	12.2%	8.1%	\$88,664	\$67,022
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	7,080	1.43	186,606	1,108,490	26.6%	18.6%	\$67,097	\$63,414
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	583	1.19	14,325	102,276	2.0%	1.7%	\$91,588	\$43,044
72	Accommodation and Food Services	3,888	1.09	58,942	461,744	8.4%	7.7%	\$32,662	\$24,729
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	3,773	1.04	24,749	203,144	3.5%	3.4%	\$52,062	\$43,903
92	Public Administration	155	1.72	47,090	232,974	6.7%	3.9%	\$92,807	\$73,804
	Total, Suppressed Industries	20		68		0.0%			

Company Ownership

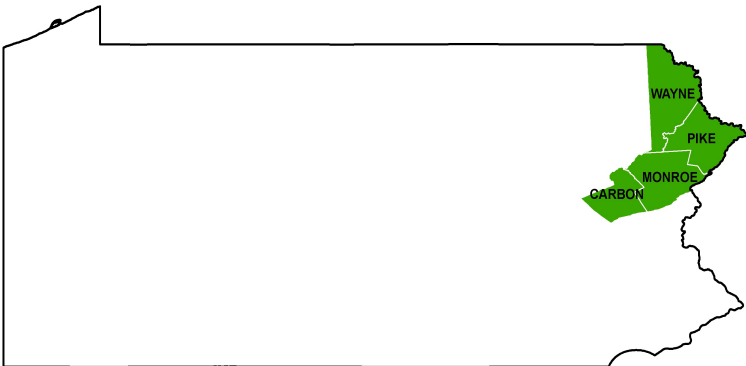
Total, All Ownership	34,106	1.00	701,436	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$80,679	\$69,252
Private Ownership	33,321	0.96	599,473	5,301,081	85.5%	88.9%	\$80,214	\$69,300
Federal Ownership	144	2.55	30,457	101,636	4.3%	1.7%	\$98,042	\$90,018
State Ownership	34	0.67	10,002	126,229	1.4%	2.1%	\$80,418	\$71,770
Local Ownership	607	1.20	61,504	434,079	8.8%	7.3%	\$76,662	\$63,079

Notes: 'Estab.'-Establishments. 'LQ'-(Location Quotient) is the percent of WDA employment by sector divided by the percent of PA's employment by sector.

Occupational Employment (2022) and Wages (2023)

SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Estimated Employment		Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage	
		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	678,950	6,311,420	\$31,200	\$29,860	\$70,900	\$61,920
11-0000	Management	39,050	406,080	\$72,540	\$64,540	\$145,400	\$131,660
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	45,530	362,880	\$53,350	\$47,270	\$92,180	\$82,990
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	22,620	179,640	\$60,730	\$54,840	\$105,560	\$98,060
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	9,690	98,300	\$62,900	\$57,460	\$98,110	\$92,950
19-0000	Life, Physical, & Social Science	7,760	65,970	\$56,890	\$48,260	\$93,520	\$82,210
21-0000	Community & Social Service	21,040	137,600	\$39,540	\$36,700	\$57,560	\$55,040
23-0000	Legal	14,380	48,970	\$58,720	\$51,470	\$134,020	\$120,620
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	50,390	328,020	\$37,850	\$34,430	\$82,050	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	12,560	89,620	\$37,430	\$32,120	\$72,410	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	63,090	415,140	\$57,040	\$48,400	\$105,590	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	52,930	340,210	\$27,190	\$26,680	\$34,060	\$35,120
33-0000	Protective Service	26,500	125,910	\$32,720	\$30,510	\$60,520	\$56,120
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	40,880	471,490	\$22,920	\$21,170	\$34,100	\$31,550
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	17,840	202,710	\$30,240	\$27,390	\$39,890	\$37,490
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	16,290	184,610	\$24,340	\$22,380	\$37,000	\$35,260
41-0000	Sales & Related	42,640	534,980	\$25,500	\$24,850	\$50,250	\$50,440
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	100,570	815,400	\$35,150	\$31,640	\$51,600	\$46,810
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	410	47,090	\$27,920	\$25,510	\$43,060	\$41,590
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	14,520	251,960	\$44,490	\$40,300	\$69,590	\$61,810
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	17,310	246,050	\$37,920	\$36,690	\$60,070	\$57,200
51-0000	Production	17,290	373,880	\$32,790	\$32,920	\$49,870	\$48,120
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	45,670	584,940	\$31,140	\$30,290	\$59,010	\$45,770

Note: 'ND' represents Non-Disclosable information.



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2023 Population		
Demographic	WDA	PA
Total Population	343,855	12,986,518
Female	169,419	6,585,606
Male	174,436	6,400,912
Population by Race		
White	76.9%	75.8%
Black	8.9%	10.7%
Other	10.1%	10.0%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	12.7%	8.4%
Population by Age		
Ages 0 to 17	18.5%	20.6%
Ages 18 to 24	8.0%	8.9%
Ages 25 to 34	11.1%	13.0%
Ages 35 to 44	11.3%	12.3%
Ages 45 to 54	13.3%	12.2%
Ages 55 to 64	16.6%	13.9%
Ages 65 to 74	13.0%	11.2%
Ages 75 and Older	8.2%	7.9%
Educational Attainment, Ages 18 and Older		
High School Diploma or Less	48.2%	42.0%
Some College or Associate Degree	28.0%	25.8%
Bachelor's Degree	15.0%	19.7%
Graduate or Professional Degree	8.8%	12.5%

Source: U.S. Census-2023 ACS 5-Year Estimates - DP05, B01001, and B15001

Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
February	2025	2024
Unemployment Rate	4.9%	4.7%
Labor Force	165,800	165,300
Employed	157,700	157,600
Unemployed	8,100	7,800

Notes: Current month's data are preliminary. Data are not seasonally adjusted.

Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q3 of 2024	
Federal Government	
Wal-Mart Associates Inc	
Aventis Pasteur Inc	
State Government	
Saint Luke's Hospital	
Lehigh Valley Hospital Pocono	
East Stroudsburg Area School District	
Pocono Mountain School District	
CMBK Resort Operations LLC	
Kalahari Resorts & Conventions	

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Online Job Postings	WDA	PA
February 2025	3,580	235,805
February 2024	3,259	205,673
Annual Percent Change	9.8%	14.7%
Annual Volume Change	321	30,132

Source: The Conference Board - LightCast - Help Wanted OnLine™

Unemployment Compensation (UC) by Pre-UC Industry	Mar 2024 to Feb 2025				Feb 2025 Initial (IC) and Continued (CC) UC Claims							
	Exhaustees		Exh. Percent		IC Total		IC Percent		CC Total		CC Percent	
	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
Natural Resources and Mining	20	650	1.0%	1.0%	20	520	1.5%	1.0%	290	9,190	2.5%	2.0%
Construction	200	7,370	11.0%	10.0%	230	8,690	21.5%	20.5%	2,800	102,730	22.0%	21.0%
Manufacturing	170	8,510	9.5%	11.5%	90	5,250	8.5%	12.5%	1,100	51,160	8.5%	10.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	430	14,140	23.5%	19.5%	220	7,710	21.5%	18.0%	2,460	78,270	19.5%	16.0%
Information	50	1,610	2.5%	2.0%	0	490	0.5%	1.0%	140	6,440	1.0%	1.5%
Financial Activities	80	4,240	4.5%	6.0%	30	1,480	3.0%	3.5%	330	17,690	2.5%	3.5%
Professional and Business Services	350	14,810	19.0%	20.5%	150	6,680	14.0%	15.5%	1,840	91,380	14.5%	19.0%
Education and Health Service	190	11,800	10.5%	16.0%	100	5,400	9.5%	12.5%	1,130	57,580	9.0%	12.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	210	5,670	11.5%	8.0%	120	3,350	11.5%	8.0%	1,850	45,560	14.5%	9.5%
Other Services	60	2,000	3.5%	2.5%	30	890	2.5%	2.0%	370	11,120	3.0%	2.5%
Public Administration	60	1,590	3.5%	2.0%	10	340	1.0%	1.0%	290	6,830	2.5%	1.5%
Unclassified Industry	10	370	0.5%	0.5%	50	1,690	4.5%	4.0%	180	7,720	1.5%	1.5%
Total	1,830	72,760	100%	100%	1,040	42,490	100%	100%	12,780	485,660	100%	100%

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Source: Pennsylvania Unemployment Compensation System

Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2023 Annual Averages

NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.	LQ	Employment		Employment %		Wages	
		WDA		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
	Total, All Industries	7,507	1.00	99,148	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$49,803	\$69,252
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	60	ND	ND	27,249	ND	0.5%	ND	\$44,014
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	28	ND	ND	22,118	ND	0.4%	ND	\$101,711
22	Utilities	39	ND	ND	34,054	ND	0.6%	ND	\$110,867
23	Construction	803	0.96	4,281	268,718	4.3%	4.5%	\$58,215	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	240	0.75	7,063	566,896	7.1%	9.5%	\$80,609	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	196	0.36	1,310	216,986	1.3%	3.6%	\$65,893	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	1,083	1.51	15,129	601,132	15.3%	10.1%	\$32,984	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	322	0.75	4,300	345,491	4.3%	5.8%	\$53,524	\$59,247
51	Information	112	0.90	1,448	96,556	1.5%	1.6%	\$61,445	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	299	0.42	1,904	273,127	1.9%	4.6%	\$75,124	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	273	0.78	873	67,704	0.9%	1.1%	\$44,561	\$74,573
54	Professional and Technical Services	605	0.34	2,248	398,002	2.3%	6.7%	\$62,635	\$117,065
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	58	ND	ND	147,596	ND	2.5%	ND	\$153,152
56	Administrative and Waste Services	376	0.66	3,355	303,622	3.4%	5.1%	\$41,699	\$51,067
61	Educational Services	173	ND	ND	485,148	ND	8.1%	ND	\$67,022
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	938	0.86	15,798	1,108,490	15.9%	18.6%	\$57,726	\$63,414
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	192	1.86	3,165	102,276	3.2%	1.7%	\$27,610	\$43,044
72	Accommodation and Food Services	843	2.16	16,573	461,744	16.7%	7.7%	\$27,331	\$24,729
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	707	1.22	4,128	203,144	4.2%	3.4%	\$34,660	\$43,903
92	Public Administration	163	1.90	7,359	232,974	7.4%	3.9%	\$68,556	\$73,804
	Total, Suppressed Industries	358		10,215		10.3%			

Company Ownership

Total, All Ownership	7,507	1.00	99,148	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$49,803	\$69,252
Private Ownership	7,078	0.93	81,890	5,301,081	82.6%	88.9%	\$46,565	\$69,300
Federal Ownership	111	2.23	3,769	101,636	3.8%	1.7%	\$80,172	\$90,018
State Ownership	70	1.22	2,551	126,229	2.6%	2.1%	\$73,444	\$71,770
Local Ownership	249	1.52	10,939	434,079	11.0%	7.3%	\$58,065	\$63,079

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Occupational Employment (2022) and Wages (2023)

SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Estimated Employment		Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage	
		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	101,230	6,311,420	\$27,550	\$29,860	\$52,560	\$61,920
11-0000	Management	4,180	406,080	\$54,210	\$64,540	\$106,030	\$131,660
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	3,390	362,880	\$43,710	\$47,270	\$76,840	\$82,990
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	1,120	179,640	\$45,360	\$54,840	\$82,690	\$98,060
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	930	98,300	\$61,410	\$57,460	\$91,020	\$92,950
19-0000	Life, Physical, & Social Science	1,070	65,970	\$49,220	\$48,260	\$78,390	\$82,210
21-0000	Community & Social Service	1,850	137,600	\$35,080	\$36,700	\$53,680	\$55,040
23-0000	Legal	550	48,970	\$41,700	\$51,470	\$84,740	\$120,620
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	6,270	328,020	\$35,180	\$34,430	\$66,350	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	1,240	89,620	\$29,270	\$32,120	\$55,830	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	5,700	415,140	\$43,340	\$48,400	\$89,930	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	4,580	340,210	\$27,060	\$26,680	\$36,140	\$35,120
33-0000	Protective Service	3,200	125,910	\$30,730	\$30,510	\$54,590	\$56,120
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	10,220	471,490	\$20,980	\$21,170	\$31,850	\$31,550
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	5,130	202,710	\$27,060	\$27,390	\$36,760	\$37,490
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	3,950	184,610	\$21,810	\$22,380	\$35,030	\$35,260
41-0000	Sales & Related	11,010	534,980	\$23,550	\$24,850	\$39,720	\$50,440
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	12,380	815,400	\$28,910	\$31,640	\$43,290	\$46,810
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	790	47,090	\$23,390	\$25,510	\$40,780	\$41,590
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	4,340	251,960	\$38,970	\$40,300	\$55,010	\$61,810
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	5,150	246,050	\$34,740	\$36,690	\$54,130	\$57,200
51-0000	Production	4,750	373,880	\$32,400	\$32,920	\$48,860	\$48,120
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	9,450	584,940	\$28,780	\$30,290	\$42,270	\$45,770

Note: 'ND' represents Non-Disclosable information.



Due to BLS methodological changes and conversions to the 2020 Census-based area delineations, seasonally adjusted substate area LAUS data are not available until further notice.

2023 Population		
Demographic	WDA	PA
Total Population	1,486,026	12,986,518
Female	749,897	6,585,606
Male	736,129	6,400,912
Population by Race		
White	81.0%	75.8%
Black	6.7%	10.7%
Other	8.9%	10.0%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	8.7%	8.4%
Population by Age		
Ages 0 to 17	21.7%	20.6%
Ages 18 to 24	8.4%	8.9%
Ages 25 to 34	12.4%	13.0%
Ages 35 to 44	12.3%	12.3%
Ages 45 to 54	12.5%	12.2%
Ages 55 to 64	13.7%	13.9%
Ages 65 to 74	11.1%	11.2%
Ages 75 and Older	7.9%	7.9%
Educational Attainment, Ages 18 and Older		
High School Diploma or Less	46.8%	42.0%
Some College or Associate Degree	25.8%	25.8%
Bachelor's Degree	17.4%	19.7%
Graduate or Professional Degree	10.0%	12.5%

Source: U.S. Census-2023 ACS 5-Year Estimates - DP05, B01001, and B15001

Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
February	2025	2024
Unemployment Rate	3.8%	3.1%
Labor Force	759,600	773,600
Employed	730,900	749,500
Unemployed	28,600	24,000

Notes: Current month's data are preliminary. Data are not seasonally adjusted.

Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q3 of 2024	
State Government	
Federal Government	
Milton S Hershey Medical Center	
Wal-Mart Associates Inc	
Amazon.com Services LLC	
Giant Food Stores LLC	
Hershey Entertainment & Resorts Co	
UPMC Pinnacle Hospitals	
United Parcel Service Inc	
WellSpan Medical Group	

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Online Job Postings	WDA	PA
February 2025	26,126	235,805
February 2024	14,967	205,673
Annual Percent Change	74.6%	14.7%
Annual Volume Change	11,159	30,132

Source: The Conference Board - LightCast - Help Wanted OnLine TM

Unemployment Compensation (UC) by Pre-UC Industry	Mar 2024 to Feb 2025				Feb 2025 Initial (IC) and Continued (CC) UC Claims							
	Exhaustees		Exh. Percent		IC Total		IC Percent		CC Total		CC Percent	
	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
Natural Resources and Mining	30	650	0.5%	1.0%	40	520	1.0%	1.0%	770	9,190	1.5%	2.0%
Construction	500	7,370	7.5%	10.0%	730	8,690	16.5%	20.5%	8,420	102,730	18.0%	21.0%
Manufacturing	1,100	8,510	16.5%	11.5%	690	5,250	15.5%	12.5%	6,990	51,160	15.0%	10.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,530	14,140	23.0%	19.5%	970	7,710	22.0%	18.0%	9,280	78,270	20.0%	16.0%
Information	100	1,610	1.5%	2.0%	20	490	0.5%	1.0%	400	6,440	1.0%	1.5%
Financial Activities	420	4,240	6.5%	6.0%	160	1,480	3.5%	3.5%	1,450	17,690	3.0%	3.5%
Professional and Business Services	1,300	14,810	19.5%	20.5%	760	6,680	17.5%	15.5%	9,260	91,380	20.0%	19.0%
Education and Health Service	790	11,800	12.0%	16.0%	490	5,400	11.0%	12.5%	4,320	57,580	9.5%	12.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	380	5,670	5.5%	8.0%	280	3,350	6.0%	8.0%	3,400	45,560	7.5%	9.5%
Other Services	330	2,000	5.0%	2.5%	90	890	2.0%	2.0%	1,000	11,120	2.0%	2.5%
Public Administration	140	1,590	2.0%	2.0%	40	340	1.0%	1.0%	720	6,830	1.5%	1.5%
Unclassified Industry	30	370	0.5%	0.5%	130	1,690	3.0%	4.0%	560	7,720	1.0%	1.5%
Total	6,650	72,760	100%	100%	4,400	42,490	100%	100%	46,590	485,660	100%	100%

Notes: Percentages less than 0.5% will be displayed as 0.0%. Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding. Claims data are not comparable to claims data released in any other report.

Source: Pennsylvania Unemployment Compensation System

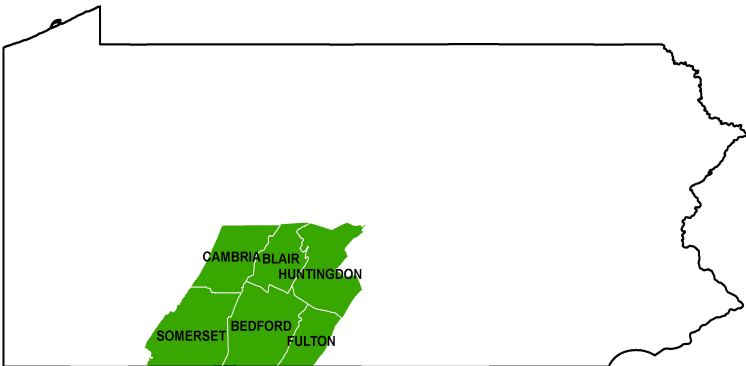
Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2023 Annual Averages									
NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.	LQ	Employment		Employment %		Wages	
		WDA		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
	Total, All Industries	33,992	1.00	666,023	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$60,305	\$69,252
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	483	ND	ND	27,249	ND	0.5%	ND	\$44,014
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	32	0.27	666	22,118	0.1%	0.4%	\$72,061	\$101,711
22	Utilities	130	0.66	2,515	34,054	0.4%	0.6%	\$118,404	\$110,867
23	Construction	2,902	1.02	30,685	268,718	4.6%	4.5%	\$72,937	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	1,640	1.31	83,178	566,896	12.5%	9.5%	\$68,742	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	1,407	0.86	20,846	216,986	3.1%	3.6%	\$76,405	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	4,163	1.05	70,316	601,132	10.6%	10.1%	\$34,904	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	1,475	1.68	64,942	345,491	9.8%	5.8%	\$56,752	\$59,247
51	Information	414	0.41	4,445	96,556	0.7%	1.6%	\$65,602	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	1,728	0.63	19,331	273,127	2.9%	4.6%	\$90,531	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	1,131	0.86	6,474	67,704	1.0%	1.1%	\$62,737	\$74,573
54	Professional and Technical Services	3,150	0.62	27,548	398,002	4.1%	6.7%	\$92,795	\$117,065
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	374	0.84	13,800	147,596	2.1%	2.5%	\$123,744	\$153,152
56	Administrative and Waste Services	1,806	0.90	30,481	303,622	4.6%	5.1%	\$42,860	\$51,067
61	Educational Services	852	0.84	45,605	485,148	6.8%	8.1%	\$58,851	\$67,022
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	4,746	0.88	109,034	1,108,490	16.4%	18.6%	\$67,824	\$63,414
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	567	ND	ND	102,276	ND	1.7%	ND	\$43,044
72	Accommodation and Food Services	2,883	0.96	49,758	461,744	7.5%	7.7%	\$22,736	\$24,729
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	3,437	1.01	22,818	203,144	3.4%	3.4%	\$42,525	\$43,903
92	Public Administration	673	1.78	46,224	232,974	6.9%	3.9%	\$72,769	\$73,804
	Total, Suppressed Industries	1,050		17,357		2.6%			

Company Ownership									
	Total, All Ownership	33,992	1.00	666,023	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$60,305	\$69,252
	Private Ownership	32,446	0.97	573,413	5,301,081	86.1%	88.9%	\$58,985	\$69,300
	Federal Ownership	341	1.59	18,074	101,636	2.7%	1.7%	\$88,794	\$90,018
	State Ownership	227	2.08	29,305	126,229	4.4%	2.1%	\$70,030	\$71,770
	Local Ownership	978	0.93	45,231	434,079	6.8%	7.3%	\$59,346	\$63,079

Notes: 'Estab.'-Establishments. 'LQ'-(Location Quotient) is the percent of WDA employment by sector divided by the percent of PA's employment by sector.

Occupational Employment (2022) and Wages (2023)							
SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Estimated Employment		Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage	
		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	680,020	6,311,420	\$29,860	\$29,860	\$57,400	\$61,920
11-0000	Management	34,950	406,080	\$62,310	\$64,540	\$120,740	\$131,660
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	35,300	362,880	\$47,500	\$47,270	\$78,010	\$82,990
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	16,190	179,640	\$54,910	\$54,840	\$92,270	\$98,060
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	12,480	98,300	\$55,250	\$57,460	\$85,270	\$92,950
19-0000	Life, Physical, & Social Science	5,610	65,970	\$48,490	\$48,260	\$76,460	\$82,210
21-0000	Community & Social Service	13,600	137,600	\$36,870	\$36,700	\$56,590	\$55,040
23-0000	Legal	5,140	48,970	\$51,610	\$51,470	\$111,980	\$120,620
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	31,920	328,020	\$34,100	\$34,430	\$64,620	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	8,190	89,620	\$30,770	\$32,120	\$57,450	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	42,950	415,140	\$47,940	\$48,400	\$95,880	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	32,190	340,210	\$26,820	\$26,680	\$35,590	\$35,120
33-0000	Protective Service	11,320	125,910	\$30,900	\$30,510	\$57,790	\$56,120
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	45,880	471,490	\$21,100	\$21,170	\$30,750	\$31,550
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	20,590	202,710	\$26,920	\$27,390	\$35,940	\$37,490
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	17,400	184,610	\$22,130	\$22,380	\$34,260	\$35,260
41-0000	Sales & Related	58,410	534,980	\$24,590	\$24,850	\$44,900	\$50,440
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	88,350	815,400	\$31,700	\$31,640	\$45,730	\$46,810
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	7,950	47,090	\$26,320	\$25,510	\$42,350	\$41,590
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	26,410	251,960	\$40,510	\$40,300	\$59,170	\$61,810
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	27,730	246,050	\$37,930	\$36,690	\$56,010	\$57,200
51-0000	Production	50,700	373,880	\$33,280	\$32,920	\$46,780	\$48,120
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	86,800	584,940	\$31,520	\$30,290	\$44,720	\$45,770

Note: 'ND' represents Non-Disclosable information.



Due to BLS methodological changes and conversions to the 2020 Census-based area delineations, seasonally adjusted substate area LAUS data are not available until further notice.

2023 Population		
Demographic	WDA	PA
Total Population	433,356	12,986,518
Female	214,376	6,585,606
Male	218,980	6,400,912
Population by Race		
White	93.0%	75.8%
Black	2.4%	10.7%
Other	4.0%	10.0%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	1.7%	8.4%
Population by Age		
Ages 0 to 17	19.3%	20.6%
Ages 18 to 24	8.1%	8.9%
Ages 25 to 34	11.2%	13.0%
Ages 35 to 44	11.3%	12.3%
Ages 45 to 54	12.7%	12.2%
Ages 55 to 64	14.8%	13.9%
Ages 65 to 74	13.1%	11.2%
Ages 75 and Older	9.5%	7.9%
Educational Attainment, Ages 18 and Older		
High School Diploma or Less	54.6%	42.0%
Some College or Associate Degree	25.6%	25.8%
Bachelor's Degree	13.3%	19.7%
Graduate or Professional Degree	6.5%	12.5%

Source: U.S. Census-2023 ACS 5-Year Estimates - DP05, B01001, and B15001

Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
February	2025	2024
Unemployment Rate	4.9%	4.2%
Labor Force	194,400	199,400
Employed	184,900	190,900
Unemployed	9,500	8,400

Notes: Current month's data are preliminary. Data are not seasonally adjusted.

Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q3 of 2024	
State Government	
Wal-Mart Associates Inc	
Federal Government	
Sheetz Inc	
DLP Partner Conemaugh LLC	
JLG Industries Inc	
UPMC Altoona	
Altoona Area School District	
Sheetz Distribution Services LLC	
Giant Food Stores LLC	

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Online Job Postings	WDA	PA
February 2025	4,489	235,805
February 2024	3,069	205,673
Annual Percent Change	46.3%	14.7%
Annual Volume Change	1,420	30,132

Source: The Conference Board - LightCast - Help Wanted OnLine™

Unemployment Compensation (UC) by Pre-UC Industry	Mar 2024 to Feb 2025				Feb 2025 Initial (IC) and Continued (CC) UC Claims							
	Exhaustees		Exh. Percent		IC Total		IC Percent		CC Total		CC Percent	
	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
Natural Resources and Mining	50	650	3.0%	1.0%	90	520	6.5%	1.0%	1,510	9,190	8.0%	2.0%
Construction	250	7,370	14.5%	10.0%	430	8,690	29.0%	20.5%	5,840	102,730	30.5%	21.0%
Manufacturing	220	8,510	12.5%	11.5%	200	5,250	14.0%	12.5%	1,800	51,160	9.5%	10.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	340	14,140	19.5%	19.5%	230	7,710	15.5%	18.0%	2,550	78,270	13.5%	16.0%
Information	30	1,610	1.5%	2.0%	10	490	0.5%	1.0%	150	6,440	1.0%	1.5%
Financial Activities	40	4,240	2.5%	6.0%	50	1,480	3.0%	3.5%	420	17,690	2.0%	3.5%
Professional and Business Services	280	14,810	16.0%	20.5%	160	6,680	11.0%	15.5%	2,460	91,380	13.0%	19.0%
Education and Health Service	260	11,800	15.0%	16.0%	130	5,400	9.0%	12.5%	1,380	57,580	7.5%	12.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	140	5,670	8.0%	8.0%	100	3,350	6.5%	8.0%	1,710	45,560	9.0%	9.5%
Other Services	50	2,000	3.0%	2.5%	30	890	2.0%	2.0%	360	11,120	2.0%	2.5%
Public Administration	70	1,590	4.0%	2.0%	10	340	1.0%	1.0%	530	6,830	3.0%	1.5%
Unclassified Industry	0	370	0.0%	0.5%	30	1,690	2.5%	4.0%	270	7,720	1.5%	1.5%
Total	1,730	72,760	100%	100%	1,470	42,490	100%	100%	18,990	485,660	100%	100%

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Source: Pennsylvania Unemployment Compensation System

Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2023 Annual Averages

NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.	LQ	Employment		Employment %		Wages	
		WDA		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
	Total, All Industries	11,185	1.00	162,740	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$49,306	\$69,252
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	162	1.87	1,389	27,249	0.9%	0.5%	\$37,853	\$44,014
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	51	2.31	1,395	22,118	0.9%	0.4%	\$85,428	\$101,711
22	Utilities	115	1.24	1,154	34,054	0.7%	0.6%	\$75,322	\$110,867
23	Construction	933	1.08	7,902	268,718	4.9%	4.5%	\$59,710	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	504	1.27	19,674	566,896	12.1%	9.5%	\$59,526	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	412	0.84	4,950	216,986	3.0%	3.6%	\$60,786	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	1,490	1.27	20,804	601,132	12.8%	10.1%	\$32,377	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	536	1.06	10,040	345,491	6.2%	5.8%	\$55,359	\$59,247
51	Information	131	0.61	1,595	96,556	1.0%	1.6%	\$50,215	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	534	0.54	3,989	273,127	2.5%	4.6%	\$69,677	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	267	0.57	1,056	67,704	0.6%	1.1%	\$45,777	\$74,573
54	Professional and Technical Services	623	0.47	5,093	398,002	3.1%	6.7%	\$68,091	\$117,065
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	87	ND	ND	147,596	ND	2.5%	ND	\$153,152
56	Administrative and Waste Services	435	0.67	5,566	303,622	3.4%	5.1%	\$39,511	\$51,067
61	Educational Services	283	0.94	12,446	485,148	7.6%	8.1%	\$47,848	\$67,022
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	2,018	1.09	32,942	1,108,490	20.2%	18.6%	\$55,602	\$63,414
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	158	ND	ND	102,276	ND	1.7%	ND	\$43,044
72	Accommodation and Food Services	943	1.14	14,416	461,744	8.9%	7.7%	\$19,486	\$24,729
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	1,119	1.09	6,034	203,144	3.7%	3.4%	\$30,739	\$43,903
92	Public Administration	389	1.32	8,397	232,974	5.2%	3.9%	\$57,637	\$73,804
	Total, Suppressed Industries	245		3,897		2.4%			

Company Ownership

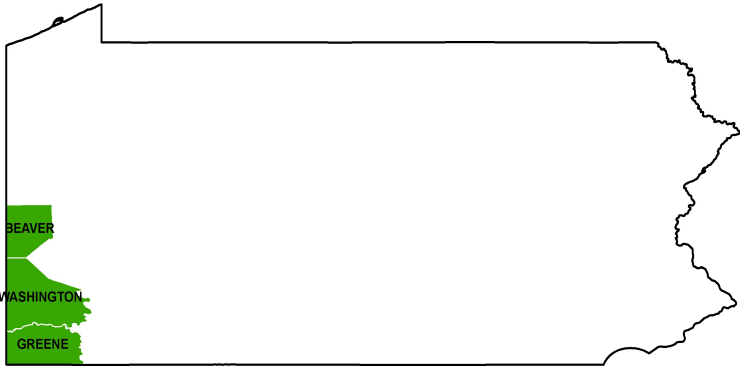
Total, All Ownership	11,185	1.00	162,740	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$49,306	\$69,252
Private Ownership	10,292	0.95	137,531	5,301,081	84.5%	88.9%	\$48,286	\$69,300
Federal Ownership	186	1.05	2,900	101,636	1.8%	1.7%	\$75,934	\$90,018
State Ownership	122	2.16	7,440	126,229	4.6%	2.1%	\$67,021	\$71,770
Local Ownership	586	1.26	14,870	434,079	9.1%	7.3%	\$44,675	\$63,079

Notes: 'Estab.'-Establishments. 'LQ'-(Location Quotient) is the percent of WDA employment by sector divided by the percent of PA's employment by sector.

Occupational Employment (2022) and Wages (2023)

SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Estimated Employment		Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage	
		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	173,100	6,311,420	\$26,190	\$29,860	\$50,020	\$61,920
11-0000	Management	7,750	406,080	\$52,910	\$64,540	\$104,050	\$131,660
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	5,290	362,880	\$40,300	\$47,270	\$68,450	\$82,990
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	2,130	179,640	\$42,300	\$54,840	\$75,930	\$98,060
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	2,300	98,300	\$51,030	\$57,460	\$78,310	\$92,950
19-0000	Life, Physical, & Social Science	1,210	65,970	\$44,310	\$48,260	\$68,640	\$82,210
21-0000	Community & Social Service	5,090	137,600	\$33,080	\$36,700	\$48,410	\$55,040
23-0000	Legal	560	48,970	\$39,520	\$51,470	\$86,860	\$120,620
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	8,940	328,020	\$31,110	\$34,430	\$56,290	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	1,720	89,620	\$28,450	\$32,120	\$51,120	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	12,500	415,140	\$41,510	\$48,400	\$82,620	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	10,090	340,210	\$25,330	\$26,680	\$33,630	\$35,120
33-0000	Protective Service	4,040	125,910	\$30,540	\$30,510	\$55,220	\$56,120
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	13,640	471,490	\$18,920	\$21,170	\$27,840	\$31,550
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	5,950	202,710	\$23,960	\$27,390	\$32,990	\$37,490
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	4,640	184,610	\$19,840	\$22,380	\$31,200	\$35,260
41-0000	Sales & Related	15,990	534,980	\$21,940	\$24,850	\$38,710	\$50,440
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	22,580	815,400	\$28,000	\$31,640	\$41,090	\$46,810
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	2,600	47,090	\$22,840	\$25,510	\$40,450	\$41,590
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	8,120	251,960	\$36,000	\$40,300	\$53,780	\$61,810
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	7,940	246,050	\$32,600	\$36,690	\$50,710	\$57,200
51-0000	Production	12,750	373,880	\$30,990	\$32,920	\$44,430	\$48,120
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	17,290	584,940	\$26,360	\$30,290	\$41,250	\$45,770

Note: 'ND' represents Non-Disclosable information.



Due to BLS methodological changes and conversions to the 2020 Census-based area delineations, seasonally adjusted substate area LAUS data are not available until further notice.

2023 Population		
Demographic	WDA	PA
Total Population	412,036	12,986,518
Female	207,848	6,585,606
Male	204,188	6,400,912
Population by Race		
White	89.7%	75.8%
Black	4.4%	10.7%
Other	5.3%	10.0%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	2.0%	8.4%
Population by Age		
Ages 0 to 17	19.5%	20.6%
Ages 18 to 24	7.6%	8.9%
Ages 25 to 34	11.6%	13.0%
Ages 35 to 44	12.0%	12.3%
Ages 45 to 54	12.4%	12.2%
Ages 55 to 64	15.2%	13.9%
Ages 65 to 74	12.9%	11.2%
Ages 75 and Older	8.8%	7.9%
Educational Attainment, Ages 18 and Older		
High School Diploma or Less	43.0%	42.0%
Some College or Associate Degree	28.8%	25.8%
Bachelor's Degree	18.5%	19.7%
Graduate or Professional Degree	9.7%	12.5%

Source: U.S. Census-2023 ACS 5-Year Estimates - DP05, B01001, and B15001

Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
February	2025	2024
Unemployment Rate	4.5%	3.9%
Labor Force	200,100	203,200
Employed	191,100	195,300
Unemployed	9,100	8,000

Notes: Current month's data are preliminary. Data are not seasonally adjusted.

Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q3 of 2024	
Wal-Mart Associates Inc	
State Government	
Giant Eagle Inc	
Pathways of Southwestern PA Inc	
The Washington Hospital	
Consol Pennsylvania Coal Company	
Valley Medical Facilities Inc	
Live Nation Worldwide	
Crown Castle USA Inc	
Federal Government	

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Online Job Postings	WDA	PA
February 2025	7,141	235,805
February 2024	7,510	205,673
Annual Percent Change	-4.9%	14.7%
Annual Volume Change	-369	30,132

Source: The Conference Board - LightCast - Help Wanted OnLine™

Unemployment Compensation (UC) by Pre-UC Industry	Mar 2024 to Feb 2025				Feb 2025 Initial (IC) and Continued (CC) UC Claims							
	Exhaustees		Exh. Percent		IC Total		IC Percent		CC Total		CC Percent	
	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
Natural Resources and Mining	20	650	1.0%	1.0%	10	520	0.5%	1.0%	240	9,190	1.5%	2.0%
Construction	350	7,370	17.5%	10.0%	450	8,690	33.5%	20.5%	5,040	102,730	31.0%	21.0%
Manufacturing	200	8,510	10.0%	11.5%	150	5,250	11.0%	12.5%	1,460	51,160	9.0%	10.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	390	14,140	19.5%	19.5%	210	7,710	15.5%	18.0%	2,490	78,270	15.5%	16.0%
Information	40	1,610	2.0%	2.0%	10	490	1.0%	1.0%	150	6,440	1.0%	1.5%
Financial Activities	120	4,240	6.0%	6.0%	50	1,480	3.5%	3.5%	580	17,690	3.5%	3.5%
Professional and Business Services	400	14,810	20.0%	20.5%	180	6,680	13.5%	15.5%	2,680	91,380	16.5%	19.0%
Education and Health Service	270	11,800	13.5%	16.0%	130	5,400	9.5%	12.5%	1,470	57,580	9.0%	12.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	130	5,670	6.5%	8.0%	80	3,350	6.0%	8.0%	1,370	45,560	8.5%	9.5%
Other Services	50	2,000	2.5%	2.5%	30	890	2.0%	2.0%	380	11,120	2.5%	2.5%
Public Administration	40	1,590	2.0%	2.0%	10	340	0.5%	1.0%	160	6,830	1.0%	1.5%
Unclassified Industry	0	370	0.0%	0.5%	40	1,690	3.0%	4.0%	230	7,720	1.5%	1.5%
Total	2,010	72,760	100%	100%	1,350	42,490	100%	100%	16,250	485,660	100%	100%

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Source: Pennsylvania Unemployment Compensation System

Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2023 Annual Averages

NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.	LQ	Employment		Employment %		Wages	
		WDA		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
	Total, All Industries	10,117	1.00	146,281	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$64,998	\$69,252
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	42	ND	ND	27,249	ND	0.5%	ND	\$44,014
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	127	10.05	5,454	22,118	3.7%	0.4%	\$123,435	\$101,711
22	Utilities	85	2.43	2,029	34,054	1.4%	0.6%	\$113,106	\$110,867
23	Construction	1,101	1.66	10,950	268,718	7.5%	4.5%	\$75,766	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	437	1.14	15,896	566,896	10.9%	9.5%	\$76,955	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	428	0.92	4,918	216,986	3.4%	3.6%	\$87,102	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	1,140	1.14	16,838	601,132	11.5%	10.1%	\$37,307	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	435	0.82	6,941	345,491	4.7%	5.8%	\$65,109	\$59,247
51	Information	100	0.65	1,543	96,556	1.1%	1.6%	\$162,063	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	459	0.44	2,965	273,127	2.0%	4.6%	\$95,460	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	299	1.57	2,612	67,704	1.8%	1.1%	\$105,474	\$74,573
54	Professional and Technical Services	836	0.57	5,575	398,002	3.8%	6.7%	\$86,766	\$117,065
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	135	0.94	3,404	147,596	2.3%	2.5%	\$188,846	\$153,152
56	Administrative and Waste Services	474	0.78	5,805	303,622	4.0%	5.1%	\$48,843	\$51,067
61	Educational Services	234	ND	ND	485,148	ND	8.1%	ND	\$67,022
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	1,690	0.90	24,435	1,108,490	16.7%	18.6%	\$54,295	\$63,414
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	150	1.33	3,348	102,276	2.3%	1.7%	\$31,262	\$43,044
72	Accommodation and Food Services	790	1.05	11,888	461,744	8.1%	7.7%	\$20,880	\$24,729
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	931	1.02	5,065	203,144	3.5%	3.4%	\$37,701	\$43,903
92	Public Administration	226	0.93	5,322	232,974	3.6%	3.9%	\$58,263	\$73,804
	Total, Suppressed Industries	276		11,294		7.7%			

Company Ownership

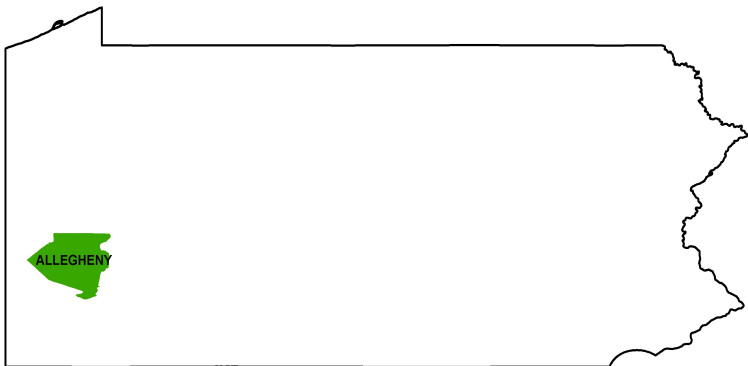
Total, All Ownership	10,117	1.00	146,281	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$64,998	\$69,252
Private Ownership	9,548	0.99	129,151	5,301,081	88.3%	88.9%	\$65,857	\$69,300
Federal Ownership	114	0.34	857	101,636	0.6%	1.7%	\$67,659	\$90,018
State Ownership	62	0.84	2,613	126,229	1.8%	2.1%	\$71,115	\$71,770
Local Ownership	393	1.28	13,661	434,079	9.3%	7.3%	\$55,535	\$63,079

Notes: 'Estab.'-Establishments. 'LQ'-(Location Quotient) is the percent of WDA employment by sector divided by the percent of PA's employment by sector.

Occupational Employment (2022) and Wages (2023)

SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Estimated Employment		Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage	
		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	156,240	6,311,420	\$29,010	\$29,860	\$57,380	\$61,920
11-0000	Management	7,320	406,080	\$63,000	\$64,540	\$124,990	\$131,660
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	4,960	362,880	\$45,270	\$47,270	\$80,580	\$82,990
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	2,160	179,640	\$51,420	\$54,840	\$92,340	\$98,060
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	3,080	98,300	\$52,510	\$57,460	\$85,860	\$92,950
19-0000	Life, Physical, & Social Science	1,000	65,970	\$47,470	\$48,260	\$76,970	\$82,210
21-0000	Community & Social Service	2,810	137,600	\$36,540	\$36,700	\$54,340	\$55,040
23-0000	Legal	740	48,970	\$50,100	\$51,470	\$117,210	\$120,620
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	7,250	328,020	\$34,970	\$34,430	\$65,620	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	1,360	89,620	\$30,920	\$32,120	\$56,510	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	8,520	415,140	\$43,890	\$48,400	\$85,540	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	9,980	340,210	\$25,370	\$26,680	\$33,700	\$35,120
33-0000	Protective Service	4,450	125,910	\$30,710	\$30,510	\$54,490	\$56,120
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	10,760	471,490	\$20,670	\$21,170	\$30,500	\$31,550
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	5,170	202,710	\$26,340	\$27,390	\$36,170	\$37,490
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	4,740	184,610	\$21,550	\$22,380	\$34,360	\$35,260
41-0000	Sales & Related	14,160	534,980	\$24,170	\$24,850	\$46,140	\$50,440
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	18,650	815,400	\$30,700	\$31,640	\$45,040	\$46,810
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	490	47,090	\$19,690	\$25,510	\$37,220	\$41,590
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	16,030	251,960	\$40,400	\$40,300	\$61,570	\$61,810
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	7,150	246,050	\$37,240	\$36,690	\$57,800	\$57,200
51-0000	Production	10,800	373,880	\$33,940	\$32,920	\$51,090	\$48,120
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	14,670	584,940	\$29,600	\$30,290	\$44,760	\$45,770

Note: 'ND' represents Non-Disclosable information.



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2023 Population		
Demographic	WDA	PA
Total Population	1,240,476	12,986,518
Female	635,659	6,585,606
Male	604,817	6,400,912
Population by Race		
White	76.9%	75.8%
Black	12.5%	10.7%
Other	9.5%	10.0%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	2.8%	8.4%
Population by Age		
Ages 0 to 17	18.7%	20.6%
Ages 18 to 24	8.7%	8.9%
Ages 25 to 34	14.9%	13.0%
Ages 35 to 44	13.0%	12.3%
Ages 45 to 54	11.3%	12.2%
Ages 55 to 64	13.6%	13.9%
Ages 65 to 74	11.6%	11.2%
Ages 75 and Older	8.1%	7.9%
Educational Attainment, Ages 18 and Older		
High School Diploma or Less	31.2%	42.0%
Some College or Associate Degree	26.7%	25.8%
Bachelor's Degree	25.1%	19.7%
Graduate or Professional Degree	17.0%	12.5%

Source: U.S. Census-2023 ACS 5-Year Estimates - DP05, B01001, and B15001

Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
February	2025	2024
Unemployment Rate	4.0%	3.4%
Labor Force	640,400	637,300
Employed	614,800	615,400
Unemployed	25,600	22,000

Notes: Current month's data are preliminary. Data are not seasonally adjusted.

Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q3 of 2024	
UPMC Presbyterian Shadyside	
University of Pittsburgh	
Federal Government	
Western Penn Allegheny Health	
Giant Eagle Inc	
PNC Bank NA	
Allegheny County	
Carnegie Mellon University	
Allegheny Clinic	
University of Pittsburgh Physicians	

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Online Job Postings	WDA	PA
February 2025	36,556	235,805
February 2024	36,859	205,673
Annual Percent Change	-0.8%	14.7%
Annual Volume Change	-303	30,132

Source: The Conference Board - LightCast - Help Wanted OnLine™

Unemployment Compensation (UC) by Pre-UC Industry	Mar 2024 to Feb 2025				Feb 2025 Initial (IC) and Continued (CC) UC Claims							
	Exhaustees		Exh. Percent		IC Total		IC Percent		CC Total		CC Percent	
	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
Natural Resources and Mining	20	650	0.5%	1.0%	10	520	0.5%	1.0%	200	9,190	0.5%	2.0%
Construction	610	7,370	9.0%	10.0%	780	8,690	20.5%	20.5%	8,680	102,730	20.5%	21.0%
Manufacturing	420	8,510	6.5%	11.5%	210	5,250	5.5%	12.5%	2,180	51,160	5.0%	10.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,000	14,140	15.0%	19.5%	590	7,710	15.5%	18.0%	5,970	78,270	14.0%	16.0%
Information	230	1,610	3.5%	2.0%	60	490	1.5%	1.0%	770	6,440	2.0%	1.5%
Financial Activities	660	4,240	10.0%	6.0%	200	1,480	5.5%	3.5%	2,310	17,690	5.5%	3.5%
Professional and Business Services	1,580	14,810	23.5%	20.5%	700	6,680	18.5%	15.5%	8,960	91,380	21.5%	19.0%
Education and Health Service	1,090	11,800	16.5%	16.0%	460	5,400	12.5%	12.5%	5,500	57,580	13.0%	12.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	750	5,670	11.5%	8.0%	510	3,350	13.5%	8.0%	5,330	45,560	12.5%	9.5%
Other Services	160	2,000	2.5%	2.5%	80	890	2.0%	2.0%	1,100	11,120	2.5%	2.5%
Public Administration	120	1,590	2.0%	2.0%	30	340	0.5%	1.0%	470	6,830	1.0%	1.5%
Unclassified Industry	20	370	0.5%	0.5%	130	1,690	3.5%	4.0%	480	7,720	1.0%	1.5%
Total	6,660	72,760	100%	100%	3,770	42,490	100%	100%	41,940	485,660	100%	100%

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Source: Pennsylvania Unemployment Compensation System

Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2023 Annual Averages

NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.	LQ	Employment		Employment %		Wages	
		WDA		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
	Total, All Industries	36,336	1.00	663,591	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$75,793	\$69,252
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	35	0.13	381	27,249	0.1%	0.5%	\$41,367	\$44,014
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	69	0.39	957	22,118	0.1%	0.4%	\$120,303	\$101,711
22	Utilities	96	1.17	4,433	34,054	0.7%	0.6%	\$87,845	\$110,867
23	Construction	2,734	1.01	30,094	268,718	4.5%	4.5%	\$79,768	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	1,139	0.55	34,619	566,896	5.2%	9.5%	\$82,640	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	1,555	0.73	17,593	216,986	2.7%	3.6%	\$91,260	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	3,843	0.96	64,448	601,132	9.7%	10.1%	\$39,380	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	822	0.73	27,911	345,491	4.2%	5.8%	\$65,854	\$59,247
51	Information	641	1.11	11,925	96,556	1.8%	1.6%	\$160,718	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	2,068	1.16	35,378	273,127	5.3%	4.6%	\$113,699	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	1,502	1.31	9,886	67,704	1.5%	1.1%	\$71,595	\$74,573
54	Professional and Technical Services	4,699	1.35	59,753	398,002	9.0%	6.7%	\$115,257	\$117,065
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	564	1.79	29,402	147,596	4.4%	2.5%	\$166,372	\$153,152
56	Administrative and Waste Services	1,781	0.91	30,823	303,622	4.6%	5.1%	\$54,122	\$51,067
61	Educational Services	844	1.09	58,647	485,148	8.8%	8.1%	\$70,738	\$67,022
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	5,851	1.08	133,443	1,108,490	20.1%	18.6%	\$69,425	\$63,414
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	674	1.20	13,622	102,276	2.1%	1.7%	\$65,991	\$43,044
72	Accommodation and Food Services	3,210	1.12	57,303	461,744	8.6%	7.7%	\$26,616	\$24,729
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	3,941	0.99	22,318	203,144	3.4%	3.4%	\$45,779	\$43,903
92	Public Administration	272	0.80	20,655	232,974	3.1%	3.9%	\$76,509	\$73,804
	Total, Suppressed Industries	0		0		0.0%			

Company Ownership

Total, All Ownership	36,336	1.00	663,591	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$75,793	\$69,252
Private Ownership	35,510	1.02	601,276	5,301,081	90.6%	88.9%	\$75,914	\$69,300
Federal Ownership	172	1.19	13,480	101,636	2.0%	1.7%	\$92,394	\$90,018
State Ownership	41	0.29	4,116	126,229	0.6%	2.1%	\$62,780	\$71,770
Local Ownership	613	0.93	44,719	434,079	6.7%	7.3%	\$70,362	\$63,079

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SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Estimated Employment		Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage	
		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
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11-0000	Management	37,460	406,080	\$67,650	\$64,540	\$132,760	\$131,660
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15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	29,080	179,640	\$55,690	\$54,840	\$95,900	\$98,060
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	14,580	98,300	\$58,930	\$57,460	\$95,390	\$92,950
19-0000	Life, Physical, & Social Science	8,520	65,970	\$45,260	\$48,260	\$75,200	\$82,210
21-0000	Community & Social Service	15,390	137,600	\$37,000	\$36,700	\$54,740	\$55,040
23-0000	Legal	8,500	48,970	\$51,190	\$51,470	\$121,130	\$120,620
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	35,530	328,020	\$35,490	\$34,430	\$72,670	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	10,860	89,620	\$33,680	\$32,120	\$62,980	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	63,480	415,140	\$49,950	\$48,400	\$98,450	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	36,710	340,210	\$26,590	\$26,680	\$35,680	\$35,120
33-0000	Protective Service	14,610	125,910	\$29,060	\$30,510	\$53,320	\$56,120
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	48,330	471,490	\$21,220	\$21,170	\$31,430	\$31,550
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	18,710	202,710	\$27,530	\$27,390	\$37,150	\$37,490
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	18,670	184,610	\$22,520	\$22,380	\$35,550	\$35,260
41-0000	Sales & Related	59,250	534,980	\$25,030	\$24,850	\$50,250	\$50,440
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	99,930	815,400	\$32,270	\$31,640	\$46,770	\$46,810
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	400	47,090	\$21,030	\$25,510	\$34,960	\$41,590
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	24,340	251,960	\$42,210	\$40,300	\$63,600	\$61,810
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Bachelor's Degree	18.6%	19.7%
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Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
February	2025	2024
Unemployment Rate	4.5%	3.9%
Labor Force	165,600	167,400
Employed	158,200	160,900
Unemployed	7,500	6,500

Notes: Current month's data are preliminary. Data are not seasonally adjusted.

Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q3 of 2024	
Federal Government	
Wal-Mart Associates Inc	
State Government	
PA State System of Higher Education	
Butler Healthcare Providers	
Giant Eagle Inc	
Westinghouse Electric Co LLC	
AK Steel Corporation	
Indiana Regional Medical Center	
Seneca Valley School District	

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Online Job Postings	WDA	PA
February 2025	6,596	235,805
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Annual Percent Change	10.8%	14.7%
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Unemployment Compensation (UC) by Pre-UC Industry	Mar 2024 to Feb 2025				Feb 2025 Initial (IC) and Continued (CC) UC Claims							
	Exhaustees		Exh. Percent		IC Total		IC Percent		CC Total		CC Percent	
	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
Natural Resources and Mining	40	650	3.0%	1.0%	40	520	3.0%	1.0%	490	9,190	3.5%	2.0%
Construction	220	7,370	17.0%	10.0%	470	8,690	38.5%	20.5%	5,480	102,730	38.0%	21.0%
Manufacturing	180	8,510	14.0%	11.5%	180	5,250	14.5%	12.5%	1,430	51,160	10.0%	10.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	240	14,140	19.0%	19.5%	170	7,710	14.5%	18.0%	1,930	78,270	13.5%	16.0%
Information	20	1,610	1.5%	2.0%	10	490	1.0%	1.0%	130	6,440	1.0%	1.5%
Financial Activities	70	4,240	5.5%	6.0%	30	1,480	2.5%	3.5%	350	17,690	2.5%	3.5%
Professional and Business Services	260	14,810	20.5%	20.5%	130	6,680	10.5%	15.5%	2,250	91,380	15.5%	19.0%
Education and Health Service	120	11,800	9.5%	16.0%	90	5,400	7.5%	12.5%	850	57,580	6.0%	12.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	70	5,670	5.5%	8.0%	50	3,350	4.0%	8.0%	910	45,560	6.5%	9.5%
Other Services	30	2,000	2.5%	2.5%	20	890	2.0%	2.0%	280	11,120	2.0%	2.5%
Public Administration	30	1,590	2.5%	2.0%	0	340	0.0%	1.0%	210	6,830	1.5%	1.5%
Unclassified Industry	0	370	0.0%	0.5%	30	1,690	2.0%	4.0%	180	7,720	1.5%	1.5%
Total	1,280	72,760	100%	100%	1,210	42,490	100%	100%	14,490	485,660	100%	100%

Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2023 Annual Averages

NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.	LQ	Employment		Employment %		Wages	
		WDA		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
	Total, All Industries	8,703	1.00	130,120	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$60,176	\$69,252
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	99	1.07	634	27,249	0.5%	0.5%	\$36,032	\$44,014
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	121	5.14	2,480	22,118	1.9%	0.4%	\$105,218	\$101,711
22	Utilities	75	1.54	1,141	34,054	0.9%	0.6%	\$105,897	\$110,867
23	Construction	820	1.16	6,829	268,718	5.2%	4.5%	\$67,273	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	428	1.20	14,842	566,896	11.4%	9.5%	\$73,108	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	428	1.35	6,377	216,986	4.9%	3.6%	\$75,289	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	1,060	1.26	16,483	601,132	12.7%	10.1%	\$35,192	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	363	0.84	6,319	345,491	4.9%	5.8%	\$52,176	\$59,247
51	Information	98	0.74	1,569	96,556	1.2%	1.6%	\$88,875	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	439	0.59	3,541	273,127	2.7%	4.6%	\$85,926	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	264	0.74	1,086	67,704	0.8%	1.1%	\$52,544	\$74,573
54	Professional and Technical Services	701	0.64	5,592	398,002	4.3%	6.7%	\$79,787	\$117,065
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	104	1.42	4,566	147,596	3.5%	2.5%	\$147,145	\$153,152
56	Administrative and Waste Services	371	0.67	4,409	303,622	3.4%	5.1%	\$52,232	\$51,067
61	Educational Services	209	0.88	9,294	485,148	7.1%	8.1%	\$63,205	\$67,022
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	1,300	0.91	21,930	1,108,490	16.9%	18.6%	\$56,146	\$63,414
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	137	0.62	1,388	102,276	1.1%	1.7%	\$21,478	\$43,044
72	Accommodation and Food Services	677	1.11	11,192	461,744	8.6%	7.7%	\$20,629	\$24,729
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	775	1.13	4,994	203,144	3.8%	3.4%	\$41,225	\$43,903
92	Public Administration	235	1.07	5,455	232,974	4.2%	3.9%	\$65,411	\$73,804
	Total, Suppressed Industries	0		0		0.0%			

Company Ownership

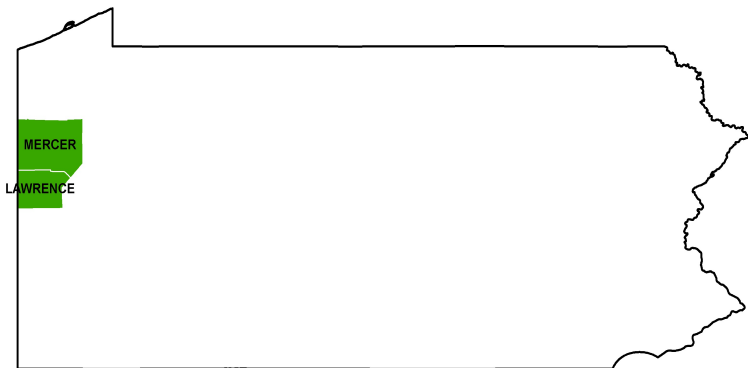
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Federal Ownership	118	1.67	3,694	101,636	2.8%	1.7%	\$81,183	\$90,018
State Ownership	67	1.39	3,836	126,229	2.9%	2.1%	\$76,338	\$71,770
Local Ownership	323	1.04	9,874	434,079	7.6%	7.3%	\$55,642	\$63,079

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Occupational Employment (2022) and Wages (2023)

SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Estimated Employment		Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage	
		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	137,240	6,311,420	\$28,900	\$29,860	\$57,040	\$61,920
11-0000	Management	6,990	406,080	\$62,680	\$64,540	\$122,670	\$131,660
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	4,990	362,880	\$46,710	\$47,270	\$79,740	\$82,990
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	2,720	179,640	\$48,130	\$54,840	\$86,750	\$98,060
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	3,490	98,300	\$58,740	\$57,460	\$93,790	\$92,950
19-0000	Life, Physical, & Social Science	1,110	65,970	\$45,860	\$48,260	\$75,400	\$82,210
21-0000	Community & Social Service	2,690	137,600	\$34,980	\$36,700	\$54,380	\$55,040
23-0000	Legal	610	48,970	\$52,670	\$51,470	\$100,070	\$120,620
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	7,430	328,020	\$34,540	\$34,430	\$68,500	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	1,610	89,620	\$30,360	\$32,120	\$52,000	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	8,460	415,140	\$44,880	\$48,400	\$88,360	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	6,600	340,210	\$26,490	\$26,680	\$35,340	\$35,120
33-0000	Protective Service	2,480	125,910	\$31,310	\$30,510	\$55,650	\$56,120
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	10,760	471,490	\$20,500	\$21,170	\$30,280	\$31,550
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	3,970	202,710	\$26,230	\$27,390	\$35,650	\$37,490
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	4,030	184,610	\$21,200	\$22,380	\$33,940	\$35,260
41-0000	Sales & Related	13,050	534,980	\$24,200	\$24,850	\$45,050	\$50,440
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	17,410	815,400	\$30,750	\$31,640	\$44,370	\$46,810
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	1,560	47,090	\$24,100	\$25,510	\$40,250	\$41,590
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	7,850	251,960	\$39,310	\$40,300	\$58,510	\$61,810
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	7,470	246,050	\$35,790	\$36,690	\$55,640	\$57,200
51-0000	Production	9,560	373,880	\$34,240	\$32,920	\$49,830	\$48,120
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	12,400	584,940	\$28,740	\$30,290	\$43,040	\$45,770

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2023 Population		
Demographic	WDA	PA
Total Population	195,275	12,986,518
Female	99,212	6,585,606
Male	96,063	6,400,912
Population by Race		
White	89.6%	75.8%
Black	4.8%	10.7%
Other	4.8%	10.0%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	1.8%	8.4%
Population by Age		
Ages 0 to 17	19.5%	20.6%
Ages 18 to 24	8.7%	8.9%
Ages 25 to 34	10.9%	13.0%
Ages 35 to 44	10.9%	12.3%
Ages 45 to 54	12.3%	12.2%
Ages 55 to 64	14.9%	13.9%
Ages 65 to 74	13.1%	11.2%
Ages 75 and Older	9.7%	7.9%
Educational Attainment, Ages 18 and Older		
High School Diploma or Less	50.2%	42.0%
Some College or Associate Degree	27.5%	25.8%
Bachelor's Degree	15.1%	19.7%
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Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
February	2025	2024
Unemployment Rate	5.5%	4.6%
Labor Force	85,100	86,800
Employed	80,500	82,800
Unemployed	4,700	4,000

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Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q3 of 2024	
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Joy Cone Company	
UPMC Jameson	
Wabtec US Rail Inc	
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First National Bank of Pennsylvania	
Excel Companion Care LLC	
Steward Sharon Regional Health Sys	
NLMK Pennsylvania Corp	

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Natural Resources and Mining	10	650	1.0%	1.0%	10	520	0.5%	1.0%	160	9,190	1.5%	2.0%
Construction	140	7,370	16.0%	10.0%	190	8,690	27.0%	20.5%	2,990	102,730	32.0%	21.0%
Manufacturing	160	8,510	18.5%	11.5%	100	5,250	13.5%	12.5%	1,240	51,160	13.5%	10.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	170	14,140	19.5%	19.5%	100	7,710	14.5%	18.0%	1,110	78,270	12.0%	16.0%
Information	0	1,610	0.0%	2.0%	0	490	0.0%	1.0%	20	6,440	0.5%	1.5%
Financial Activities	50	4,240	5.5%	6.0%	10	1,480	2.0%	3.5%	130	17,690	1.5%	3.5%
Professional and Business Services	120	14,810	14.0%	20.5%	60	6,680	8.5%	15.5%	1,070	91,380	11.5%	19.0%
Education and Health Service	140	11,800	16.0%	16.0%	160	5,400	23.0%	12.5%	1,460	57,580	15.5%	12.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	60	5,670	7.0%	8.0%	30	3,350	3.5%	8.0%	690	45,560	7.5%	9.5%
Other Services	10	2,000	1.0%	2.5%	10	890	1.5%	2.0%	160	11,120	1.5%	2.5%
Public Administration	10	1,590	1.0%	2.0%	10	340	0.5%	1.0%	110	6,830	1.0%	1.5%
Unclassified Industry	0	370	0.0%	0.5%	40	1,690	5.0%	4.0%	170	7,720	2.0%	1.5%
Total	870	72,760	100%	100%	710	42,490	100%	100%	9,320	485,660	100%	100%

Notes: Percentages less than 0.5% will be displayed as 0.0%. Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding. Claims data are not comparable to claims data released in any other report.

Source: Pennsylvania Unemployment Compensation System

Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2023 Annual Averages

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22	Utilities	25	1.19	477	34,054	0.7%	0.6%	\$109,501	\$110,867
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48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	169	0.68	2,768	345,491	3.9%	5.8%	\$58,696	\$59,247
51	Information	44	0.41	468	96,556	0.7%	1.6%	\$52,793	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	228	0.72	2,310	273,127	3.3%	4.6%	\$85,802	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	117	0.64	509	67,704	0.7%	1.1%	\$46,258	\$74,573
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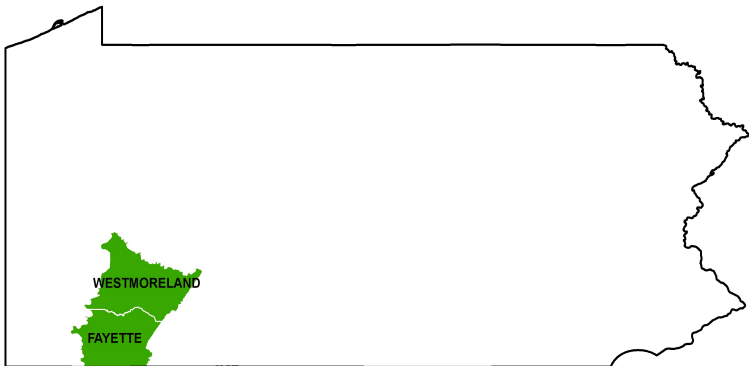
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23-0000	Legal	ND	48,970	\$40,080	\$51,470	\$87,120	\$120,620
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	3,900	328,020	\$32,290	\$34,430	\$61,800	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	710	89,620	\$26,480	\$32,120	\$49,010	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	5,060	415,140	\$40,190	\$48,400	\$81,250	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	5,240	340,210	\$25,190	\$26,680	\$32,120	\$35,120
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Natural Resources and Mining	40	650	2.0%	1.0%	30	520	2.0%	1.0%	340	9,190	1.5%	2.0%
Construction	370	7,370	16.5%	10.0%	590	8,690	34.5%	20.5%	7,180	102,730	33.5%	21.0%
Manufacturing	270	8,510	12.0%	11.5%	250	5,250	14.5%	12.5%	2,140	51,160	10.0%	10.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	410	14,140	18.0%	19.5%	280	7,710	16.0%	18.0%	3,140	78,270	14.5%	16.0%
Information	30	1,610	1.5%	2.0%	10	490	0.5%	1.0%	190	6,440	1.0%	1.5%
Financial Activities	110	4,240	5.0%	6.0%	40	1,480	2.5%	3.5%	520	17,690	2.5%	3.5%
Professional and Business Services	440	14,810	19.5%	20.5%	190	6,680	11.5%	15.5%	3,470	91,380	16.0%	19.0%
Education and Health Service	290	11,800	13.0%	16.0%	150	5,400	8.5%	12.5%	1,440	57,580	6.5%	12.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	190	5,670	8.5%	8.0%	100	3,350	6.0%	8.0%	2,130	45,560	10.0%	9.5%
Other Services	60	2,000	2.5%	2.5%	30	890	1.5%	2.0%	460	11,120	2.0%	2.5%
Public Administration	40	1,590	2.0%	2.0%	10	340	0.5%	1.0%	310	6,830	1.5%	1.5%
Unclassified Industry	10	370	0.5%	0.5%	40	1,690	2.5%	4.0%	260	7,720	1.0%	1.5%
Total	2,260	72,760	100%	100%	1,720	42,490	100%	100%	21,600	485,660	100%	100%

Notes: Percentages less than 0.5% will be displayed as 0.0%. Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding. Claims data are not comparable to claims data released in any other report.

Source: Pennsylvania Unemployment Compensation System

Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2023 Annual Averages

NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.	LQ	Employment		Employment %		Wages	
		WDA		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
	Total, All Industries	11,945	1.00	167,710	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$53,949	\$69,252
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	58	0.56	430	27,249	0.3%	0.5%	\$37,429	\$44,014
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	57	2.93	1,820	22,118	1.1%	0.4%	\$107,990	\$101,711
22	Utilities	83	1.40	1,342	34,054	0.8%	0.6%	\$96,812	\$110,867
23	Construction	1,132	1.16	8,755	268,718	5.2%	4.5%	\$65,081	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	665	1.35	21,515	566,896	12.8%	9.5%	\$70,192	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	472	1.04	6,371	216,986	3.8%	3.6%	\$69,539	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	1,524	1.37	23,127	601,132	13.8%	10.1%	\$36,707	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	484	1.13	10,948	345,491	6.5%	5.8%	\$58,754	\$59,247
51	Information	106	0.50	1,362	96,556	0.8%	1.6%	\$60,781	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	574	0.46	3,497	273,127	2.1%	4.6%	\$78,473	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	332	0.76	1,456	67,704	0.9%	1.1%	\$54,977	\$74,573
54	Professional and Technical Services	915	0.57	6,383	398,002	3.8%	6.7%	\$77,954	\$117,065
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	123	0.46	1,897	147,596	1.1%	2.5%	\$120,975	\$153,152
56	Administrative and Waste Services	534	0.89	7,576	303,622	4.5%	5.1%	\$49,351	\$51,067
61	Educational Services	337	0.82	11,126	485,148	6.6%	8.1%	\$57,370	\$67,022
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	2,014	0.89	27,830	1,108,490	16.6%	18.6%	\$53,013	\$63,414
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	190	1.08	3,121	102,276	1.9%	1.7%	\$30,594	\$43,044
72	Accommodation and Food Services	997	1.33	17,287	461,744	10.3%	7.7%	\$21,371	\$24,729
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	1,148	1.08	6,186	203,144	3.7%	3.4%	\$34,100	\$43,903
92	Public Administration	200	0.87	5,683	232,974	3.4%	3.9%	\$63,772	\$73,804
	Total, Suppressed Industries	0		0		0.0%			

Company Ownership

Total, All Ownership	11,945	1.00	167,710	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$53,949	\$69,252
Private Ownership	11,295	0.99	148,279	5,301,081	88.4%	88.9%	\$52,980	\$69,300
Federal Ownership	151	0.42	1,194	101,636	0.7%	1.7%	\$68,646	\$90,018
State Ownership	56	1.17	4,161	126,229	2.5%	2.1%	\$71,958	\$71,770
Local Ownership	443	1.15	14,076	434,079	8.4%	7.3%	\$57,586	\$63,079

Notes: 'Estab.'-Establishments. 'LQ'-(Location Quotient) is the percent of WDA employment by sector divided by the percent of PA's employment by sector.

Occupational Employment (2022) and Wages (2023)

SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Estimated Employment		Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage	
		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	174,560	6,311,420	\$28,570	\$29,860	\$54,060	\$61,920
11-0000	Management	6,450	406,080	\$59,620	\$64,540	\$113,350	\$131,660
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	5,200	362,880	\$43,070	\$47,270	\$76,000	\$82,990
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	2,310	179,640	\$45,160	\$54,840	\$87,350	\$98,060
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	3,440	98,300	\$56,060	\$57,460	\$85,250	\$92,950
19-0000	Life, Physical, & Social Science	1,010	65,970	\$43,580	\$48,260	\$70,230	\$82,210
21-0000	Community & Social Service	3,720	137,600	\$37,400	\$36,700	\$53,810	\$55,040
23-0000	Legal	270	48,970	\$53,350	\$51,470	\$122,010	\$120,620
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	8,570	328,020	\$32,640	\$34,430	\$62,810	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	1,410	89,620	\$29,210	\$32,120	\$52,280	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	9,390	415,140	\$44,610	\$48,400	\$87,140	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	11,010	340,210	\$27,860	\$26,680	\$36,680	\$35,120
33-0000	Protective Service	2,720	125,910	\$32,040	\$30,510	\$57,470	\$56,120
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	15,220	471,490	\$20,640	\$21,170	\$30,660	\$31,550
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	5,290	202,710	\$26,660	\$27,390	\$35,980	\$37,490
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	5,420	184,610	\$22,000	\$22,380	\$34,590	\$35,260
41-0000	Sales & Related	18,980	534,980	\$24,140	\$24,850	\$43,570	\$50,440
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	21,370	815,400	\$30,470	\$31,640	\$44,350	\$46,810
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	1,110	47,090	\$23,500	\$25,510	\$43,360	\$41,590
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	9,410	251,960	\$40,300	\$40,300	\$59,820	\$61,810
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	7,650	246,050	\$35,580	\$36,690	\$54,890	\$57,200
51-0000	Production	14,110	373,880	\$33,280	\$32,920	\$48,980	\$48,120
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	20,520	584,940	\$29,560	\$30,290	\$44,450	\$45,770

Note: 'ND' represents Non-Disclosable information.